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The distance from Alligator Creek to Elaroo in the north is 85 km and from Mackay to Netherdale in the west is 75 km.

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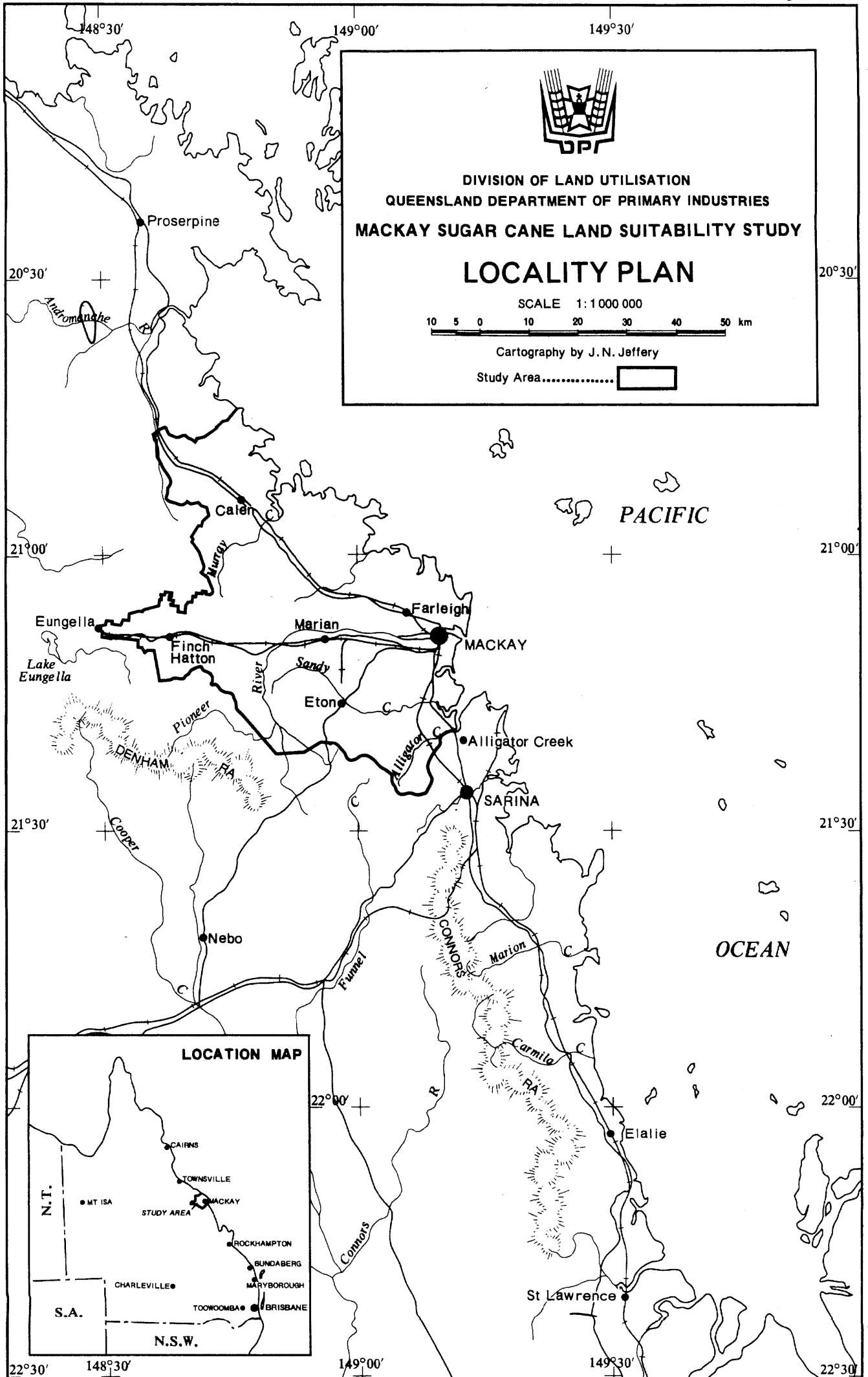
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3. METHODOLOGY

3.1 Resource mapping

Land resource mapping was undertaken at a scale of 1:50 000 in order to compile a resource inventory appropriate for regional planning. The inventory data are recorded in computer files.

Field work included a reference making phase followed by a mapping phase. The aim of the reference making phase was to compile tentative soil profile classes* using data recorded at 560 sites. The sites were described at different topographic positions along selected traverses through each geological formation. The site data includes soil profile descriptions to 1 200 mm as well as topographic and geological information.

The mapping phase involved describing a further 1 400 sites, checking boundaries between soils and finally, mapping onto aerial photographs (approximate scale 1:28 000). The mapping units** are compound, that is, contain several soil profile classes. Each occurrence of a mapping unit was named a unique map area or uma (after Basinski 1978). Each unique map area was given a unique number and individually described on computer files in terms of soils, topography, geology and land degradation. The smallest areas delineated were 6 to 10 ha.

The mapping units and their constituent uma's are named after the dominant soil profile classes. The dominance of the major soil and the range of associated soils may vary among the uma's of each mapping unit. This degree of complexity is indicated for each uma in the computer files by a soil variability rating.

The uma's were compiled onto eight 1:50 000 working maps. The area of each uma was measured with a digitiser and added to the data file. A soils map at a scale of 1:100 000 was subsequently produced and accompanies this report.

* A 'soil profile class' is a group or class of soil profiles, not necessarily contiguous, grouped on their similarity of morphological characteristics (Beckett 1971; Beckett and Burrough 1971; Beckett and Webster 1971; Burrough *et al.* 1971).

** A mapping unit is an area or group of areas, coherent enough to be represented to scale on a map, which can be adequately described in a simple statement in terms of its main soil profile classes (Beckett and Webster 1971).

After completing the mapping phase, soil profile classes were re-examined and described using the entire data set.

3.2 Storing and extracting data

Data is stored in a uma data file and in a site data file.

The uma data file consists of two record types, numbered 23 and 24 respectively. Record 23 contains the land resource inventory, location data, a land suitability assessment and a summary of cane assignment data. Record 24 includes the area of assigned land and the mill to which it is assigned. The codes used are described in Appendix I and the Record 23 file is given in Appendix II.

The resource data include uma number, mapping unit name (based on the dominant soil profile class), geological reference, soils variability, associated soils, landform classification, description of slopes and assessments of present erosion and secondary salting. The location data includes the grid co-ordinates of a labelling point in each uma. The land suitability assessment includes the major limitations to cane growing and the land suitability class.

All the data can be manipulated and extracted in any combination. It can be printed out in tables or in an overlay form. If needed, the resource, land suitability and cane assignment information can be extracted together.

Using the tabular form of data presentation, the required information can be sorted into groups, listed, areas summed and statistically analysed.

Using the overlay method of data presentation, a plotter plots any of the uma data at the grid co-ordinates of the uma labelling points. The plot can then be overlaid on an appropriate base map (see Figure 5, Part Two, Mackay Sugar Cane Land Suitability Study).

The site data file contains four record types. Records 1 and 2 contain location, topography and geological data of the site as well as a classification of the soil. Record 3 contains vegetation data and record 4 contains the description of the soil profile. All this data can be listed, sorted and displayed in the same manner as for the uma data. Included in the data is the name of the soil profile class which the site represents. The soil profile class name is also used in the uma data file and forms a link between the two.

The information stored on computer files can be accessed through the Director, Land Resources Branch, Department of Primary Industries, Meiers Road, Indooroopilly, Brisbane, 4068.

4. CLIMATE

4.1 Introduction

The climate of the study area has been discussed in detail by the Bureau of Meteorology (1965). Although there are several rainfall recording stations, records of other climatic variables are available only for Mackay and for the Sugar Experiment Station at Te Kowai (Bureau of Meteorology 1975).

The study area experiences generally warm, humid summers and mild, dry winters. Dick (1975) classified the area as 'Cwa', using Koppen's (1936) system of climate classification. This classification indicates rainy climates with mild winters, a dry season in the winter half-year and hot summers (mean temperature of the warmest month equals or exceeds 22°C).

4.2 Climatic data

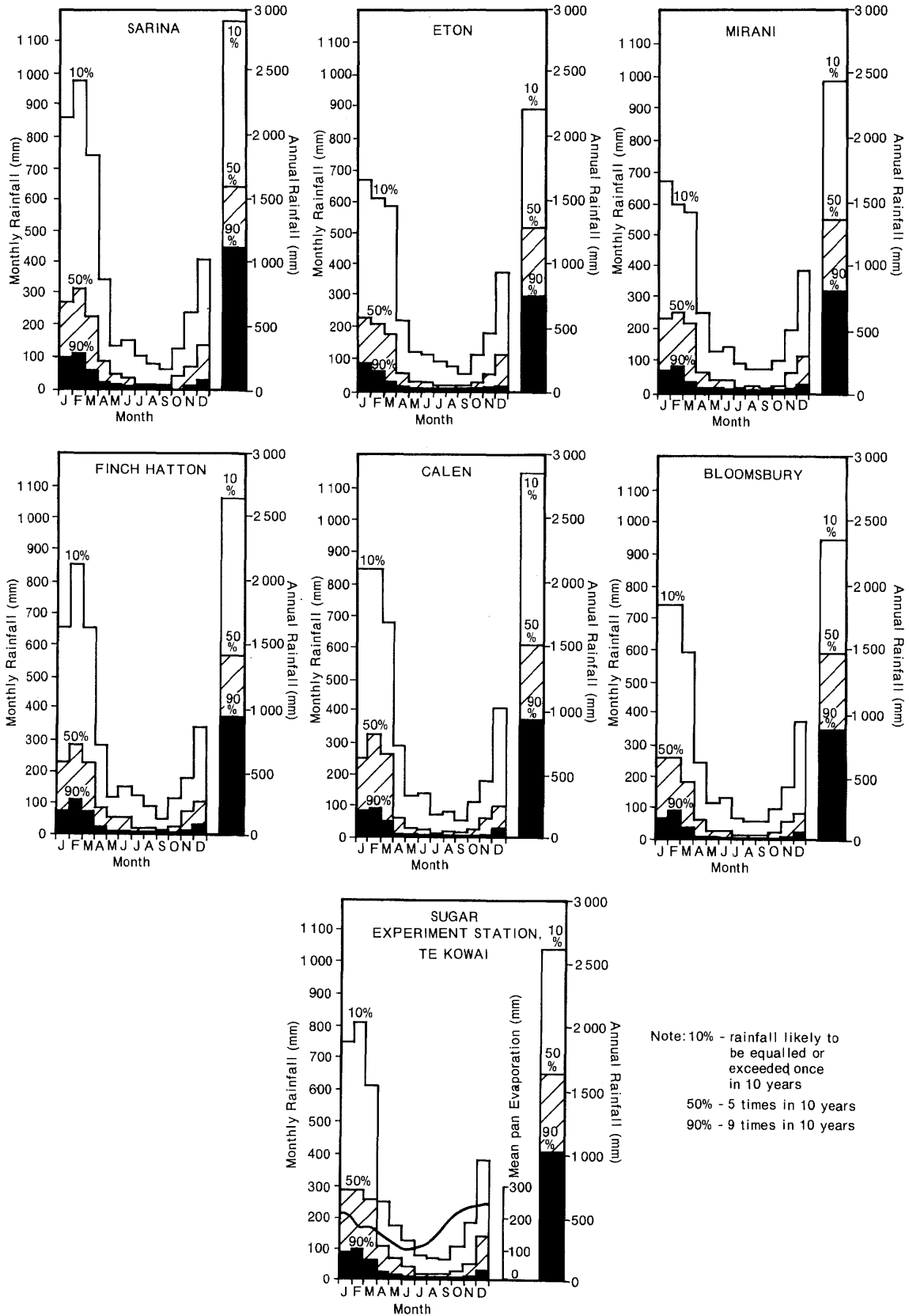
Rainfall

Monthly and annual rainfall figures for seven selected stations are shown in Figure 2. The median annual rainfall (50 percentile) varies from 1 281 mm at Eton to 1 639 mm at Te Kowai.

Approximately 70% of the median annual rainfall for all stations occurs in the four month December-March period, decreasing to a minimum between July and September.

Figure 2 shows a distinct areal variation as well as the strongly seasonal distribution. Rainfall decreases westwards from Mackay to Mirani but increases again in the Cattle Creek valley (Finch Hatton). There is also a marked decrease to the south-west around Eton and lower rainfall is experienced in the Pinevale area (BSES pers. comm.). Rainfall along the coast appears relatively uniform with only a gradual decrease north of Calen.

Some high rainfall intensities have been recorded in the study area. At Finch Hatton, a 24 hour total (9 a.m. to 9 a.m.) of 878 mm has been recorded. Falls of 63 mm in a half hour period and 150 mm in a six hour period have been estimated to recur in the study area every 10 years (Bureau of Meteorology 1965).



Note: 10% - rainfall likely to be equalled or exceeded once in 10 years
 50% - 5 times in 10 years
 90% - 9 times in 10 years

Figure 2 Monthly and Annual Rainfall for selected stations including mean monthly pan evaporation for Te Kowai

Evaporation

The mean annual pan evaporation (from August 1964 to December 1982) at Te Kowai is 2 060 mm (BSES data). Maximum rates occur during October to December declining to minimum levels in the May to July period (Figure 2). Median rainfall at Te Kowai is exceeded by mean pan evaporation in all months except January, February and March.

Temperature

Average maximum daily temperatures at Te Kowai vary from 30°C in the summer months to 23°C during winter (Figure 3). Average minimum daily temperatures vary from 21°C during summer to 10°C in winter. Temperatures of less than 5°C are experienced for an average seven days per year while an average three days per year occur with maximum temperatures of 35°C or higher.

Frost

The frost period extends from late May to early September but the main occurrence is during July and August (Story 1963). In the eleven year period 1968 to 1978, Te Kowai experienced an average of five frosts per annum (BSES data). The most susceptible areas are the alluvial flats of Gargett and Pinnacle and around Eton (Pembroke 1982). In very severe winters frosts can occur in any low-lying pockets throughout the study area except for a narrow strip adjacent to the coast (BSES pers. comm.). Such widespread frosts were experienced in 1961, 1965 and 1982 (Pembroke 1982).

Floods

The majority of the severe floods recorded have been due to tropical cyclones or rain depressions (Bureau of Meteorology 1965). However, except for the lower Pioneer River, most flooding is confined to existing stream channels.

Wind

Mackay experiences mainly south-easterly winds throughout the year (Bureau of Meteorology 1965). There is also a significant southerly component during autumn and winter which is replaced by northerly to easterly winds during spring and summer. Wind speeds between 11 and 30 km/h dominate throughout the year (Bureau of Meteorology 1979).

Cyclones

Tropical cyclones may occur during the period December to mid-April. There is a probability of one cyclone endangering the Mackay area in approximately every two cyclone seasons (Bureau of Meteorology 1965).

Hail

Hail is rarely experienced in the Mackay area but may be associated with thunderstorm activity which is at a maximum during spring and early summer (Bureau of Meteorology 1965).

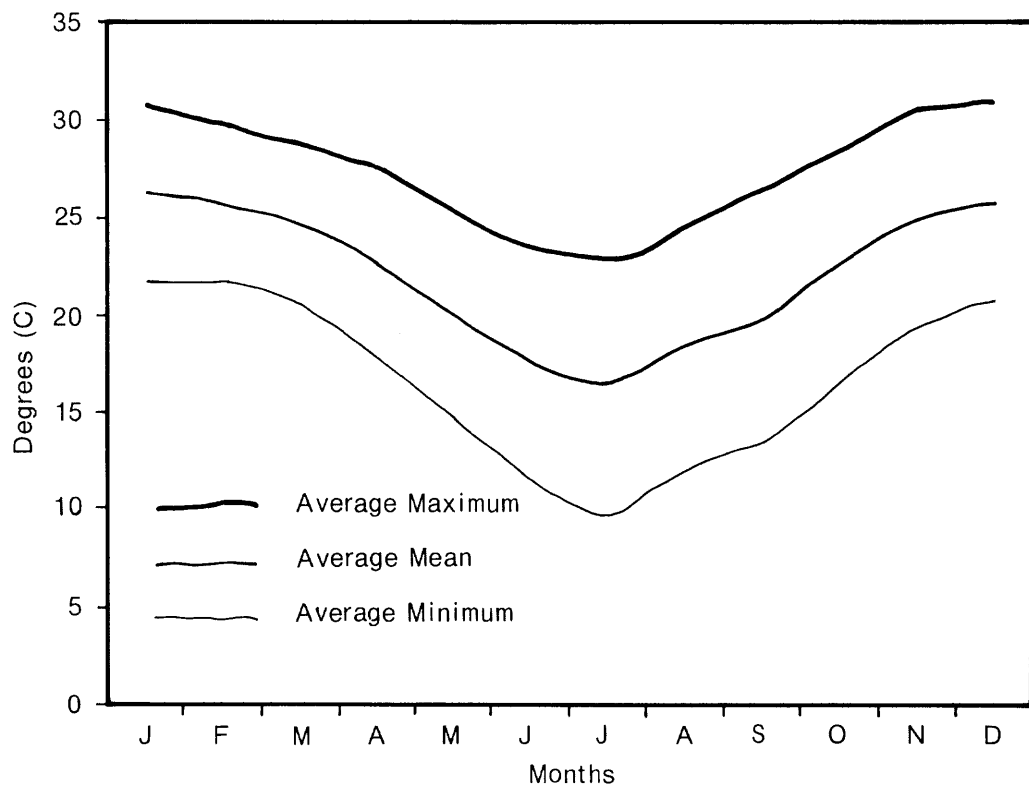


Figure 3 Temperature Data for Sugar Experiment Station, Te Kowai

TABLE 1. Relationships between soil profile class, parent material and the major geological formations.

Major Geological Formations	Soil Profile Classes for each Parent Material Type						
	Acid to intermediate volcanics and tuffs	Intermediate to basic volcanics	Acid to intermediate intrusives	Sedimentary rocks	Colluvium	Littoral sands	Alluvium
Campwyn Beds (DCc)	Mentmore (acid tuffs)	Belmunda (altered intermediate volcanics)			Etowrie (intermediate to basic volcanics)		
	Mentmore, sandy loam variant (acid tuffs)	Habana (range of volcanics and pyroclastics)			Etowrie, neutral duplex variant (intermediate to basic volcanics)		
	Wollingford, yellow B horizon variant (acid to intermediate tuffs and volcanics)	Wagoora, basic parent material variant (basic to intermediate volcanics)					
Lower Bowen Volcanics/Lizzie Creek Volcanics (Plv/Plz)	Whiptail (acid volcanics)	Kungurri (altered intermediate volcanics)		Kuttabul (quartzose sandstone)	Etowrie		
	Wollingford (acid to intermediate volcanics)	Martin (intermediate volcanics)		Mulei (quartzose sandstone)	Ossa (probably sediments and acid to intermediate volcanics)		
		Royston (andesite)		Pindi (fine grained sediments)	Silent Grove (intermediate to basic volcanics)		
		Wagoora (intermediate volcanics)					
Carmila Beds (Pla)	Whiptail	Nabilla (altered intermediate volcanics)		Jumper (fine grained sediments)	Ossa		
	Wollingford			Palmyra (fine grained sediments)	Silent Grove		
	Munbura (acid tuffs)	Wagoora		Pindi			
	Marwood (acid tuffs)						
Calen Coal Measures (Ple)		Wagoora		Kuttabul Mulei	Kuttabul, alluvial-colluvial variant (quartzose sandstone)		
					Silent Grove		
Urannah Complex (Cm/Ckr)	Wollingford, intrusive parent material variant (acid to intermediate dykes)	Pinnacle (probably basic dykes)	Dunwold (granite)		Finch Hatton, alluvial-colluvial variant (granodiorite)		
			Finch Hatton (granodiorite to diorite)		Gargett (granite)		
			Netherdale (granodiorite)		Gargett, deep A horizon variant (granite)		
			Septimus (granite)		Kowari (basic dykes)		
			Uruba (granodiorite)		Tonnalo (granite granodiorite)		
			Uruba, sandy A horizon variant (granite to granodiorite)		Uruba, alluvial-colluvial variant (granodiorite)		
Wundaru granodiorite (Kgw formerly Qs)			Farleigh (granodiorite)				
Cretaceous dykes (Kgd, Kgo, Kgp formerly Md)		Glenella (microdiorite)			Etowrie		
Quaternary alluvium (Qa)					Balberra (probably sediments and acid to intermediate volcanics)		Benholme
							Brightley
							Calen
					Seaforth (probably mainly acid to intermediate volcanics)		Cameron
							Dundula
							Eton
					Seaforth, dark B horizon variant		Marian
					Seaforth, yellow B horizon variant		Marian, yellow B horizon variant
							Mirani
							Murray
							Narpi
							Pioneer
							Pioneer, red B horizon variant
						Sandiford	
						St. Helens	
						Sunnyside	
						Victoria Plains	
						Allandale	
						Allandale, strongly sodic variant	
						Kinchant	
						Kinchant, coarse sandy variant	
Quaternary beach ridges and dunes (Qd, Qr, Qpb, Qhb, Qhd)							Andergrove
							Andergrove, coarse sandy variant
							Andergrove, calcareous variant
							Neils

5. GEOLOGY

5.1 Introduction

Some 20 geological formations have been identified in the study area by Jensen (1965), Jensen, Gregory and Forbes (1966) and Paine (1972). The original geological mapping of the Mackay and Proserpine Sheets was undertaken at a scale of 1:250 000. Where field inspections found major discrepancies from the original mapping, a geologist was consulted. Though the una boundaries mapped at 1:50 000 could be considered as a refinement of the original maps, the una mapping is not comparable to a geologist's map of the same scale.

Martin, Willmott and O'Flynn (in prep.) have recently completed mapping the geological formations of the Mackay 1:100 000 sheet area at a scale of 1:100 000. This updated information has been used where possible, but the codes in the data files are as for the 1:250 000 mapping.

A geological reference has been recorded for each una except for urban areas and Kinchant dam.

Table 1 presents the relationship between soil profile classes, parent material and major geological formations.

5.2 Geological formations

The oldest formation in the study area is the Campwyn beds (DCc) of Middle Devonian to Early Carboniferous age. The formation consists of volcanic flow rocks and pyroclastics interbedded with siltstone, sandstone, conglomerate and limestone. Low-grade regional metamorphic rocks are developed locally. The volcanic rocks include agglomerate and tuffs, andesite, basalt and rhyolite. Epidotization is widespread. Campwyn beds outcrop adjacent to the coast from Mentmore through to Belmunda and just north of Mackay. They are possibly faulted against the Carmila beds on the western boundary at which point there is often a coarse conglomerate, for example, at the quarry on the Seaforth to Mt Ossa road. They are intruded by dykes of microdiorite near Mackay.

The Lower Bowen Volcanics (Plv) of Jensen *et al.* (1966) are equivalent to the Lizzie Creek Volcanics (Plz) of Paine (1972). Formed during the Late Carboniferous to Early Permian, they consist of volcanic flows and pyroclastics, with interbedded shale, greywacke, lithic and tuffaceous sandstone and conglomerate. Andesite is the most common lava type; basalt, trachyte, trachyandesite, dacite, toscanite and

rhyolite also occur. Andesitic agglomerate and andesitic to dacitic tuff are common. The volcanic rocks are extensively epidotised and chloritised.

The Lizzie Creek Volcanics are probably equivalent to the basal part of the Carmila beds (Paine 1972). These two formations are coeval but not coextensive.

Lizzie Creek Volcanics outcrop from Gargett through Mt Charlton to south of Calen. They are bounded by the Urannah Complex in the west (which also intrudes the formation near Gargett) and by Carmila beds and Calen Coal Measures in the east.

The Early Permian Carmila beds (Pla) consist of lithic sandstone, siltstone, mudstone, conglomerate, shale and acid to intermediate pyroclastics and flows. They outcrop from Sunnyside to Mia Mia in the south, at Palmyra, Glenella to Habana, and Kuttabul to Pindi Pindi in the north.

Conglomerate appears to be more common towards the base of the unit. North of the Pioneer River there are more acid to intermediate volcanics than south of the river. The volcanic rocks tend to form strike ridges, whereas the sedimentary rocks tend to occupy lower slope positions. South of the river there are proportionately more sedimentary rocks and dark grey indurated shale and mudstone are common. Rhyodacitic crystal tuff forms low rises in the Marwood and Munbura areas.

The Calen Coal Measures (Ple) are an Early Permian formation composed of quartzose sandstone, siltstone, mudstone, claystone, carbonaceous shale and coal. Intermediate sills and dykes intrude the formation.

The Calen Coal Measures overlies the Carmila beds which form the eastern boundary and the Lizzie Creek Volcanics which form the western boundary. They outcrop from Devereaux Creek in the south, through Mulei, Kuttabul and Buthurra to Calen and Elaroo in the north.

The Urannah Complex (Cmr or CKr) consists of multiple intrusions ranging in age from Late Carboniferous to Early Cretaceous. It consists of granite, adamellite, granodiorite, syenite, diorite, and gabbro with abundant acid, intermediate and basic dykes. The formation outcrops along the western boundary of the study area. The Urannah complex intrudes and is faulted against the Carmila beds and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Early Permian or Early Cretaceous intrusives outcrop mainly as mountains west of Calen. They include altered porphyritic dolerite (PKo) (on which Wagoora soils are developed), rhyolite (PKr) and granite (PKg).

Early Cretaceous granodiorite (Kgw) has been mapped by Martin *et al.* (in prep.) as outcropping from The Leap through to Glenella. The area was previously mapped by Jensen *et al.* (1966) as Quaternary soil (Qs).

Jensen *et al.* (1966) mapped a large area of Mesozoic microdiorite (Md) from Glenella to Habana. Martin *et al.* (in prep.) have remapped much of this area as Carmila beds intruded by multiple microdiorite to dolerite dykes (Kgd, Kgo, Kgp). These dykes also intrude the granodiorite east of Farleigh.

Mt Blackwood and Mt Vince are mountainous mesozoic intrusives of granite, granophyre and dolerite (Mi). Cretaceous acid intrusives (Kg) composed of leucocratic alkali granite, granophyre and quartz syenite outcrop at Halliday Bay.

Mt Jukes consists of a central core of leucocratic granophyric quartz syenite and alkali granite surrounded by an annular valley of granodiorite (KJ₁, KJ₂). Rhyolite and dolerite dykes are common and a metamorphic aureole surrounds the complex. Recent geochronology dates the Mt Jukes complex as Tertiary (Martin pers. comm.).

The Cape Hillsborough Beds (Th) of Tertiary age consist of acid volcanics, conglomerate, shale, argillaceous sandstone, basalt and oil shale. They outcrop at Cape Hillsborough and further north near Zamia Creek.

Tertiary acid volcanic and intrusive rocks (Tr and Tv) consisting mainly of trachyte and rhyolite outcrop at The Leap and near Seaforth.

Poorly sorted, weakly consolidated sediments of Tertiary to Quaternary age outcrop at Dunrock and along Sandy and Bakers Creeks.

Tertiary to Quaternary alluvial-colluvial deposits consisting of admixed boulders, gravel, sand, silt and clay have accumulated around the base of mountains. Soils developed on alluvial-colluvial material may occur several kilometers from the source.

The Quaternary alluvium (Qa) consisting of sands, gravels, claybound gravel, sandy clays and clays have been deposited to a depth of 30 m. A wide range of soils have been developed depending on the nature of the parent material, age and topographic position. The largest areas of alluvium are associated with the Pioneer River and Sandy, Cattle, Macquarie, St Helens and Zamia Creeks.

Elevated relict plains which occur between Kinchant Dam and Mirani, and west of Mirani to Benholme have been derived mainly from alluvium from a granitic provenance. West of Mirani, rounded to subangular gravel indicates an alluvial-colluvial influence. The plains are characterised by a pan of cemented sand and some gravel at around 1.0 m below the surface. The pan is 0.5 to 2.0 m thick and is underlain by sand, clay and gravel beds. Chemical data (total potassium levels) indicates the pan may be of Tertiary age.

Jensen (1966) and Paine (1972) mapped Quaternary coastal dunes and beach ridges (Qd, Qr).

Martin (in prep.) has further recognised degraded Pleistocene beach ridges (Qpb), Holocene beach ridges (Qhb) and high dunes (Qhd) around Mackay. Particle size analysis indicates these formations are due to both wind and wave action. Coastal dunes at Mentmore have a large component of calcareous material.

Quaternary estuarine and lagoonal deposits (Qm) support mangrove and saltmarsh communities. The soils in these areas have not been described.

6. TOPOGRAPHY

6.1 Introduction

Broad landform zones in the study area have been previously described by Jensen *et al.* (1966), Bellamy (1972) and Paine (1972). There are three broad landform zones. The Clark and Connors Ranges form the western highlands. East of the western highlands lies a large coastal plain, mainly south of the Pioneer River. To the north, coastal hills separate smaller coastal plains.

Landform has been described for each uma except for urban areas and Kinchant Dam. Erosional terrain was described using the relief and modal slope categories of Speight (1984). Aggraded terrain was described using the terms given in Appendix I. Alluvial-colluvial terrain was identified by a code (c) and then described as either erosional or aggraded whichever was considered the most appropriate in each case.

6.2 Landforms

Aggraded terrain covers 98 150 ha. The areas of its components are given in Table 2.

The alluvial plains are mainly flat to very gently sloping and are incised by stream channels. They are composed of older alluvium than the terraces and levees.

The local alluvial and alluvial-colluvial flats include those mainly flat, small areas adjacent to streams; often in their upper reaches. Alluvial and alluvial-colluvial material are closely associated due to the proximity of erosional terrain.

Levees occur mainly adjacent to the Pioneer River and are difficult to differentiate from the alluvial plain in some areas.

Terraces include both the terraces and floodplains of Speight (1984). The lowest terrace or only terrace is described as TS, then the next highest TT, then TU and so on. This system is intended to indicate the complexity of terrace development in the study area. Data in Table 2 indicates that there is usually only one or two terraces developed in any location.

Stream channel has been used as the term to describe the landform of streams and some closely associated gullied lands.

Coastal dunes, beach ridges and fore-dunes have been given the same landform code because of the difficulty in separating the areas of sand formed by wind or wave action.

Marine plains include those areas inundated by tidal waters while swamps include those areas affected by seasonal or permanently high water tables of fresh water.

The areas of the slope/relief categories of erosional terrain are given in Table 3.

The relict plains (3 170 ha) are described as erosional terrain because although composed of alluvium, these areas are now elevated in the landscape and undergoing erosional processes.

Of the 22 700 ha of alluvial-colluvial terrain, 2 500 ha were described as local alluvial and alluvial-colluvial flats. The remainder was described mainly as level to gently undulating plains of erosional terrain. The alluvial-colluvial terrain often consists of long, planar, low slopes formed between sedentary erosional sloping lands upslope and aggraded terrain such as alluvial plains downslope. An example is shown in Plate 2, where erosion from flooding in Cattle Creek has truncated the alluvial-colluvial slope.

Erosional terrain covers 186 060 ha and of this 108 600 ha are mountains, hills and gullied lands with no agricultural potential.

6.3 Slopes

The general range of slopes for each landform can be inferred from the classification scheme used, especially for erosional terrain where the slope range is an integral part of the classification. The actual slope range was also recorded for all landforms having some potential for arable agriculture. The range was described in terms of the minimum, modal and maximum slopes in each uma.

The mean values recorded for these slopes are presented in Table 4. The alluvial plains are generally level but in comparison the alluvial flats have a very gentle inclination, which is due to a higher component of alluvial-colluvial terrain. The stream terraces are level but may have relatively steep slopes to other adjacent landforms. The slopes of the levees and coastal dunes (excluding the frontal dunes) are very gentle.

The slopes of the level plains of erosional terrain are similar to the alluvial plains and valley flats. The gently undulating rises have generally steeper slopes than the gently undulating plains and slopes of the undulating rises are steeper than for the undulating plains. Thus, landforms of higher relief appear to have steeper slopes than similar landforms with lower relief. There is a marked increase in the steepness of the slopes on the rolling rises and rolling plains.

Table 2. Area data for the landform components of aggraded terrain

Landform	UMA code	Area (ha)
Alluvial plain	(LA)	49 020
Marine plain (tidal flat)	(LM)	16 860
Local alluvial and alluvial- colluvial flat	(FL)	13 400
Swamp	(SP)	630
Coastal dune, beach ridges, fore-dunes	(DB)	2 300
Levee	(LE)	1 440
Stream terrace (level 1, lowest)	(TS)	5 480
Stream terrace (level 2)	(TT)	2 030
Stream terrace (level 3)	(TU)	360
Stream terrace (level 4, highest)	(TV)	110
Stream channel	(SB)	6 520
TOTAL		98 150

Table 3. Areas of land in the erosional landform categories

Erosional landform category	Area (ha)
Level to gently undulating plains	20 350
Undulating plains	11 280
Gently undulating rises	2 540
Undulating rises and low hills	43 030
Rolling rises and plains	4 040
Rolling to steep low hills, hills, steep mountains and steep rises	48 530
Very steep to precipitous low hills, hills and mountains	54 650
Badlands	1 640
TOTAL	186 060

Table 4. Mean slope values for landforms with some potential for arable agriculture

Landform	Mean minimum slope (%)	Mean modal slope (%)	Mean maximum slope (%)
Alluvial plains	0	0.2	1.3
Alluvial and alluvial- colluvial flats	0	0.4	1.7
Levees	0.1	0.9	1.8
Stream terraces	0	0.4	1.4
Coastal dunes	0.1	0.6	2.4
Level plains	0	0.4	1.6
Gently undulating plains	0.6	1.6	3.4
Undulating plains	1.4	3.2	6.7
Gently undulating rises	0.8	2.2	4.4
Undulating rises and low hills	2.0	4.7	8.6
Rolling rises and rolling plains	4.2	9.2	16.4

7. HYDROLOGY

7.1 Underground water

The Pioneer Basin which lies mainly south of the Pioneer River was proclaimed as a sub-artesian district in 1947. Major bores within the sub-artesian district which are used for irrigation, town supply or industrial purposes have to be licensed and given a pumping allocation. Selected bores throughout the basin are monitored for yield and water quality by the Queensland Water Resources Commission (QWRC). Thus considerable data are available for the underground water resource of the Pioneer Valley. Unfortunately, little data are available for underground water supplies north of the Pioneer River since the area is not proclaimed, licenses are not required and bore logs and yield information are not forwarded to the QWRC.

Underground water supplies in the north coast area are limited to generally small supplies from fractured rock with some good supplies associated with the larger areas of alluvium such as around Calen (QWRC pers. comm.).

In contrast, good supplies are available from the alluvium of the Pioneer Valley though there are generally only small supplies in the area from Sandy Creek to Alligator Creek. Bore logs indicate the Pioneer River formerly flowed from Mirani through Eton and Homebush, along Bakers Creek and that the Palms and Lagoon areas are former anabranches of the present river course (QWRC 1983). The best supplies of water are associated with these former river courses. The alluvium is up to 30 m thick but averages about 18 m. The ground water resource is considered to be fully committed over most of the area.

Good yields are associated with the fractured rock of Mt Vince.

Groundwater recharge was originally thought to be mainly from the main water courses. However, the rapid recharge of the aquifers following major rainfall events and stream water levels indicate that deep percolation of rainfall is the major source of water. The water courses act as sinks to the aquifers.

Haysom (1970) discusses water quality in the district and points out that since water quality is variable, samples should be analysed to determine their suitability for irrigation.

Water quality from alluvium in the Pioneer Basin is generally suitable for both irrigation and domestic consumption. High iron and manganese levels occur as do high boron levels in some waters adjacent to the coast. Supplies from the Carmila Beds may have excessive salt levels.

Salt water intrusion is a potential problem for users irrigating from bores adjacent to the coast. The salt water-fresh water interface ranges from 1 to 4 km from the coastline and overuse of the fresh water could lead to salt water intrusion. The QWRC is monitoring water quality from bores in susceptible areas and irrigation licenses have been limited east of the Bruce Highway between Mackay and Alligator Creek.

7.2 Surface water

Annual stream discharge is highly variable and seasonal with over 80% of annual flow in the Pioneer River occurring between December and April.

Flooding is mainly due to tropical cyclones or rain depressions (Bureau of Meteorology 1965). However, the floods are mostly confined within the stream banks with the most important exception being the lower Pioneer River. Detailed hydrological investigations have been undertaken for the Pioneer River (Ullman and Nolan 1973) and the QWRC has stream gauges monitoring flows in the Pioneer River, St Helens Creek, Cattle Creek, Blacks Creek, Bakers Creek, Sandy Creek and Alligator Creek.

The storage capacity and annual yields of existing and proposed major water storages are given in Table 5.

Table 5. Storage capacity and annual yield of existing and proposed major water storages

Water storages	Storage capacity (megalitres)	Annual yield (megalitres)
Existing		
Dumbleton Weir	1 400	6 700
Marian Weir	3 830	7 560
Kinchant Dam	62 800	51 200
Proposed		
Finch Hatton Creek	99 000	50 300
Mirani Weir (approved)	5 500	3 480 (Riparian)
Blacks Creek	493 000	162 400
Sandy Creek	8 760	8 080
Alligator Creek	30 000	8 000

8. VEGETATION

8.1 Introduction

The vegetation of the study area was described by Isbell and Murtha (1972) during broadscale regional mapping. Much of the original vegetation has been modified by extensive clearing and thinning. Large areas, used for growing sugar cane, retain no native vegetation and generally only the plant communities on hills and mountains and those fringing streams remain intact.

It is now not possible to adequately describe the original plant communities or to determine their soil relationships. Consequently, vegetation was not described or mapped in detail during the study but where possible dominant species were recorded during field inspection.

The general observations presented below are based on those recordings.

8.2 General observations

Rainforest and softwood species occurred mainly on stream terraces, in sheltered gullies and on mountains. Apart from the stream terraces and perhaps some of the fertile soils derived from intermediate to basic volcanics there is little agricultural land which formerly supported these communities.

Most of the area appears to have been eucalypt woodlands with varying dominant species, understorey and structure.

Appendix III lists the common and scientific names of the plant species discussed below.

The soils of uplands had communities composed mainly of *Eucalyptus alba*, *E. intermedia* and *E. drepanophylla* with some *E. tereticornis*, *E. tessellaris*, *Tristania suaveolens* and *E. papuana*. *Tristania suaveolens* was locally dominant on some soils, such as Jumper. *Melaleuca nervosa*, *M. viridiflora* and *Planchonia careya* were common in the understorey. The shallow, stony soils tended to support *E. drepanophylla* whereas *E. tereticornis* generally indicated fertile soils. Large *E. tereticornis* and *E. drepanophylla* were associated with highly fertile soils such as the Wagoora, basic parent material variant. *Pandanus* species occurred in some gullies and on soils with perched water tables such as Marwood. *Xanthorrhoea johnsonii* was a reliable indicator species for the Kuttambul and Mulei soils developed on quartzose sandstone. The soils derived from acid to intermediate intrusives and dykes and from acid crystalline tuffs supported layered woodlands with a wide range of species.

The soils of the alluvial-colluvial plains and the duplex soils of the alluvial plains supported woodlands composed predominantly of *E. alba*, *E. intermedia* and *Tristania suaveolens*. *E. tessularis* and *E. tereticornis* were more frequent on the more fertile soils. Stands of well developed *E. alba* were associated with Narpi soils. *E. tereticornis* or *M. viridiflora* open-woodlands were associated with the clay soils, Victoria Plains and Brightley; the dominant community depending upon drainage. Large *E. tereticornis* were a feature of Dundula soils. *Tristania suaveolens* was dominant on Benholme and Balberra soils and formed locally dominant communities on other soils such as Ossa.

Kinchant and Allandale soils supported a low woodland of *M. nervosa* and *M. viridiflora* with occasional trees of *E. alba*, *E. tessularis* or *E. intermedia*. The Kinchant, coarse sandy variant had a layered woodland of *E. intermedia* and *E. tessularis* with *Melaleuca* species in the understorey. An occasional, stunted *E. alba* and *Melaleuca* species with sparse grass cover occurred on the Allandale, strongly sodic variant.

Large *Melaleuca leucadendron* and *M. dealbata* occupied Neils soils north of Habana and *M. leucadendron* open-forests occur in freshwater swamps at Slade Point.

9. SOILS

9.1 Introduction

Soils of the study area have been previously described by Isbell and Murtha (1970) as part of broadscale 1:1 000 000 mapping. van Wijk (1975) mapped and described the soils in the Eton Irrigation Area at a scale of approximately 1:125 000.

In this study 53 soil profile classes and 19 variants have been identified together with six miscellaneous mapping units.

The soil profile classes are grouped into landscape units which have similar topography and geological formation or parent material. They provide both the structure with which to present the soils information and a broadscale break-up of the study area.

9.2 Description of the soil profile classes

Each soil profile class is described in Appendix IV. Location and commonly associated soils are discussed and distribution is shown on Map 4, 'Soils'.

Information presented in Appendix IV includes:

Concept:	Intended to succinctly convey the distinguishing features of each soil profile class. The pH term (acid, neutral or alkaline) is as for the soil reaction trend defined by Northcote (1979).
PPF:	Principal profile form of Northcote (1979).
GSG:	Great soil group after Stace <i>et al.</i> (1968).
Parent Material:	Parent material and geological formation.
Landform:	As described in section 6, Topography.
Comments:	Mainly describes variability of soil profile features.

Horizon names are taken from McDonald (1977). The use of upper B₂ and lower B₂ is to indicate significant trends through the B horizon. For example, at a particular site, the acid B₂₁ and B₂₂ horizons may constitute the upper B₂ and the alkaline B₂₃ and B₂₄ horizons the lower B₂.

Most sites described were in cultivated land and so had an Ap horizon. A₁ and A₂ horizons were interpreted from uncultivated sites.

Soil colour names are those of Oyama and Takehara (1967). Colours are given for moist soil unless otherwise specified. Sporadic and conspicuous bleach are used as in Northcote (1979).

Soils of uplands derived from acid crystalline tuffs

Marwood and Munbura soils occur on gently undulating to undulating rises south of Sandy Creek. There are also two small occurrences near Seaforth but these soils have developed from granitic material and more intensive work may indicate that they belong to a separate soil profile class. The two soils are closely associated but Munbura soils tend to occupy more undulating areas than Marwood soils.

Soils of uplands derived from acid to intermediate intrusives and dykes

Sedentary soils with coarse surface textures. The Dunwold soil profile class occurs on the more acid rocks of the Urannah Complex from Finch Hatton to Septimus and around Dunwold. Septimus soil is commonly associated on upper slope and crest positions with Uruba soil developed on slightly more basic rocks. Gargett soil is common on lower, alluvial-colluvial slopes.

Septimus soil occurs sporadically between Septimus and Pinnacle and at Oakenden mainly on the more acid intrusives of the Urannah Complex where it is commonly found in upper slope and crest positions.

The Uruba, sandy A horizon variant soil occupies steep slopes in the Vales area south of Pinnacle. Associated soils include Dunwold and Septimus. Intergrades between all three soils are common.

Alluvial-colluvial soils with coarse surface textures. Gargett soil occurs on alluvial-colluvial slopes between Finch Hatton and Pinnacle, around Septimus and at Oakenden and Kungurri. Dunwold and Uruba soils are often associated on the higher sedentary slopes with Tannalo and Gargett, deep A horizon variant soils associated on similar slopes. Gargett soil merges into various soils developed on Quaternary alluvium in lower slope positions.

The Gargett deep A horizon variant soil occurs within areas of Gargett soil especially near Pinnacle and at Owen's Creek.

Tannalo soil occurs mainly between Pinnacle and Septimus and at Pinevale. Gargett and the Uruba, alluvial-colluvial variant soils are associated on the alluvial-colluvial slopes with parent material the probable determinant of each soil. Uruba and Dunwold soils often occupy sedentary positions upslope.

Sedentary soils with medium to fine surface textures. The Finch Hatton soil is located mainly on the northern side of Cattle Creek from Owen's Creek to Finch Hatton Creek. Small areas are also found near Brightley and at Mt Jukes. Netherdale and Uruba soils are associated and intergrades among the three are common.

Netherdale soil occupies steeply sloping ridges, mainly west of Pinnacle. Uruba and Finch Hatton soils are associated on lower slope positions with intergrades depending upon surface texture and degree of B horizon development.

The Pinnacle soil is located mainly at Pinnacle with another small occurrence near Netherdale. It is the only krasnozem found in the study area and occurs on hillocks surrounded by Dunwold soils.

Uruba soil occurs from Cattle Creek through to Septimus and is associated with Finch Hatton and Dunwold soils. Netherdale soil occurs on steeper slopes.

Farleigh soil is developed on granodiorite which outcrops from The Leap through to east of Farleigh. Associated soils include Victoria Plains in the drainage lines and Glenella which is formed on dykes, particularly east of Farleigh.

Alluvial-colluvial soils with medium to fine surface textures. Kowari soil occurs between Pinnacle and Netherdale on tongues of stony colluvial material from basic dykes in the Urannah Complex. Tannalo soil may be associated.

Finch Hatton, alluvial-colluvial variant soil occurs mainly north of Cattle Creek around Finch Hatton with small areas near Scrubby Mountain and at Mt Jukes. It intergrades with Uruba, alluvial-colluvial variant soil which is a common associate. Finch Hatton soil occurs on sedentary positions upslope.

The Uruba, alluvial-colluvial variant soil is located mainly in the Cattle Creek and Pinevale areas. Gargett and Finch Hatton, alluvial-colluvial variant soils are the main associates on the alluvial-colluvial slopes with Uruba soil upslope.

Soils of uplands derived from basic to intermediate volcanics

Sedentary soils. The Wagoora soil occurs throughout the study area with major occurrences from Wagoora to Calen, at Kuttambul, Silent Grove, Mia Mia and Walkerston. Skeletal soils are associated on steep slopes or near rock outcrop. Silent Grove soil occurs downslope on alluvial-colluvial materials. Where the volcanic rocks intrude sedimentary rocks Pindi and Jumper soils are associated. Wollingford soil is a common associate on intermediate to acid volcanic rocks.

The Wagoora, basic parent material variant soil occurs west of Seaforth, along the St Helens beach road and at Mentmore. The parent material appears to be more basic than that of Wagoora and though the two soils are morphologically similar the chemical analyses from the representative profiles indicate they are quite different. Associated soils include Mentmore, Belmunda and Skeletal.

Nabilla soil occurs mainly on undulating rises around Mt Vince and north of Mia Mia. Wollingford soil is associated on intermediate to acid volcanics and Skeletal soils are associated on crests and near rock outcrop.

Royston soil occupies mid to upper slope positions on undulating rises at Royston Park and Dows Creek. It merges into Silent Grove soil down the slope. Skeletal soils are often associated on crests. Surface cracking was not observed in the Royston soil under pasture but cracking may develop with cultivation (McDonald pers. comm.).

Martin soil is found between Mt Martin and Kungurri. Skeletal and Kungurri soils are associated along ridge crests with Etowrie soils developed downslope on alluvial-colluvial materials.

Kungurri soil occurs on ridge crests between Mt Martin and Kungurri where it is associated mainly with Martin soil.

Glenella soil occurs mainly between Glenella and Habana on microdiorite dyke rocks. The dyke rocks intrude granodiorite on which Farleigh soil is developed. Habana soil is closely associated and intergrades with Glenella are common due to parent material variability. Etowrie soil is often developed downslope on alluvial-colluvial materials with Victoria Plains soil common in the drainage lines.

Habana soil occupies steep slopes between Glenella and Habana. The parent material appears to be highly variable including acid to intermediate volcanics and tuffs. Skeletal and Mentmore soils are common associates and intergrades with Glenella often occur.

Alluvial-colluvial soils. Silent Grove soil is found throughout the study area with major occurrences at Yalbaroo, Silent Grove, Royston Park and Brightley. It is usually found downslope from sedentary soils derived from basic to intermediate volcanics and often merges into Victoria Plains soils further down the slope.

Etowrie soil occurs from Habana to Glenella, at Mt Martin and at Devereaux Creek. Habana, Glenella and Martin soils are commonly associated on the sedentary upper slopes. Etowrie soil merges into duplex soils and uniform clays of the alluvial plains.

The Etowrie, neutral duplex variant soil occurs at Mentmore on alluvial-colluvial material from intermediate volcanics. Mentmore soil is associated in the upper slope positions with Calen soil occurring further down the slope.

Soils of uplands derived from acid to intermediate volcanics

Whiptail soil occurs on acid volcanic rocks throughout the study area but mainly north of Calen. It occupies upper slope positions and has Skeletal and Wollingford soils closely associated.

Wollingford soil also occurs throughout the study area developed on acid to intermediate volcanics. Whiptail and Skeletal soils are most commonly associated.

The Wollingford, intrusive parent material variant soil is located mainly in the low rainfall Pinevale area. The Uruba, alluvial-colluvial variant soil is closely associated. There is also one small occurrence west of Finch Hatton where the soil is developed on dyke rocks.

The Wollingford, yellow B horizon variant soil occurs on Campwyn Beds near St Helens beach, west of Seaforth and at Habana. Associated soils include Mentmore, Belmunda and Skeletal.

Mentmore soil occurs at Mentmore, west of Seaforth and at Habana. It has shallow profiles and is closely associated with Skeletal soils. Belmunda and Wollingford, yellow B horizon variant soils are other common associates.

The Mentmore, sandy loam variant soil is located west of Seaforth and at Mentmore. Mentmore and Belmunda soils are the major associates.

Belmunda soil occurs in the St Helens, Seaforth and Belmunda areas. Mentmore and Skeletal soils are the common associates. Intergrades with Wagoora, basic parent material variant may occur.

Soils of uplands derived from sedimentary rocks

Pindi and Jumper soils occur from Yalbaroo to Calen, south of Walkerston, from Brightley to Eton and at Kungurri. The two soils are closely associated, differing mainly in B horizon colour and pH. Development of these properties appears to be related to particular beds within the sedimentary sequence. Rock bars with associated Skeletal soils are common through both soils.

Palmyra soil is located on Carmila Beds between Walkerston and Homebush. Its development is probably due to a greater proportion of the more weathering resistant indurated mudstone in the sedimentary rocks of this area. Associated soils include Pindi, Jumper and Skeletal.

Kuttabul and Mulei soils occur on quartzose sandstone between Kuttabul and Yakapari, at Elaroo, Devereaux Creek and at Kungurri. The two soils are closely associated though Kuttabul soil is the more extensive. Skeletal soils are common on crests. The presence of *Xanthorrhoea* sp. is a useful indicator for both these soils.

Soils of the alluvial-colluvial plains derived from sedimentary rocks and acid to intermediate volcanics

The Ossa soil occurs mainly in the Narpi and Oakenden areas but is found throughout the study area on alluvial-colluvial slopes from Carmila Beds and Lizzie Creek Volcanics. A range of upland soils derived from sedimentary rocks and acid to intermediate volcanics occur upslope. Downslope Ossa soil merges into various duplex soils of the alluvial plains.

The Ossa, cobbly variant soil occurs at the footslope of hills from Oakenden to Sunnyside and is a close associate of Ossa in these areas.

Seaforth soil occurs between Seaforth and Belmunda on alluvial-colluvial slopes from Campwyn Beds. It is morphologically similar to Ossa soil. Mentmore and Belmunda soils occupy sedentary upslope positions and it is often adjacent to the Mangroves and Saltmarsh unit.

The Seaforth, dark B horizon variant soil occurs around Seaforth on alluvial-colluvial slopes. Seaforth soil is associated while downslope it merges into Victoria Plains and Calen soils.

The Seaforth, yellow B horizon variant soil occurs near St Helens beach and Mentmore. Associated soils include Calen and Mentmore.

Balberra soil is located in only one large area between Munbura and Balberra. It surrounds low rises of acid crystalline tuffs but appears to be part of an alluvial-colluvial continuum from other rocks within the Carmila Beds. It merges into Ossa soil upslope and Sunnyside soil downslope.

The Kuttabul, alluvial-colluvial variant soil is located at Devereaux Creek and Kuttabul. It has developed on alluvial-colluvial slopes from quartzose sandstone. Kuttabul and Skeletal soils occupy sedentary positions upslope. Mulei soil may occur in similar alluvial-colluvial positions. In areas of restricted drainage alkaline profiles with affinities to Jumper soil have developed.

Soils derived from Quaternary alluvium

Duplex soils of the alluvial plains. The Calen soil occurs on alluvium throughout the study area. Major occurrences are around Calen and Mt Pelion and south of the Pioneer River. Victoria Plains and Brightley soils are associated in slightly lower areas with poorer drainage. Sandiford and Calen soils are closely associated south of the Pioneer River where Marian and Mirani soils occur on slightly elevated areas. Calen is an ubiquitous soil and is associated with most other soils derived from Quaternary alluvium.

Narpi soil is located in the Narpi area on the alluvium of Macquarie Jolimont and Palm Tree Creeks. Victoria Plains, Brightley and Calen soils are associated. Ossa soil may occur upslope. An extensive system of stabilised gullies has developed within these soils.

Eton soil occurs mainly in the Brightley and Eton areas where associated soils include Victoria Plains and Brightley.

Sunnyside soil is most extensive in the Sunnyside area but there are other occurrences near Homebush and Dunrock. It often merges with Ossa or Balberra soils. Brightley and Calen soils are common associates on the alluvium.

Sandiford soil occurs on the alluvial plains south of the Pioneer River and east of Walkerston. It is closely associated with Calen soil and more intensive study will be required in order to ascertain their topographic and parent material relationship. Marian and Mirani soils are associated on slightly elevated areas.

Marian soil occurs extensively along the Pioneer River and Cattle Creek. It occupies back slopes of levees where it is associated with Pioneer soil and slightly elevated areas on the alluvial plain where it is associated with Calen soil. Its profile morphology ranges between those of Calen and Pioneer soils.

The Marian, yellow B horizon variant soil occurs along Sandy Creek from Allandale to Homebush. It occupies similar landform positions to Marian soil and is associated with the Pioneer, red B horizon variant (in slightly elevated areas) and Brightley, Calen and Eton soils which occur in lower positions.

Mirani soil is extensive between Mirani and the coast south of the Pioneer River. It occupies slightly elevated, usually elongated rises on the alluvial plains. Calen and Sandiford soils are associated in lower positions.

Uniform clays of the alluvial plains. The Victoria Plains soil is ubiquitous, occurring in depression areas with poor external drainage. Brightley and Calen soils are commonly associated and many other soils may be associated in better drained positions.

Brightley soil is closely associated with Victoria Plains soil but does not have the same degree of self-mulching or seasonal cracking as Victoria Plains soil. The most common duplex soil associates are Calen, Eton and Marian.

Benholme soil occurs extensively west of Mirani through to Dunwold. It is often situated below the Kinchant, coarse sandy variant soil which occupies elevated, gently undulating plains. Calen soil is associated on the alluvial plain.

Dundula soil is situated adjacent to the coast between Mackay and Alligator Creek and at Habana and Belmunda. Mangroves and Saltmarsh commonly form the coastal boundary. Andergrove and Andergrove coarse sandy variant soils are often associated on adjacent coastal dunes. Small areas with high salt levels occur within the Dundula soil.

Duplex soils of the relict plains. The Kinchant and Allandale soils occur on elevated plains between Allandale and Mirani. They are closely associated with each other with the Kinchant soil usually occupying upper slope positions. Intergrades between the two soils are common. The extent of the cemented pan which commonly underlies these soils at around 1 m is unknown but may be discontinuous.

The Allandale, strongly sodic variant soil is an associate of Kinchant and Allandale soils between Allandale and Kinchant Dam.

The Kinchant, coarse sandy variant soil occurs on elevated gently undulating plains from Mirani to Benholme. It occurs on similar landform, overlies a similar pan and is morphologically similar to Kinchant soil. However, it supports different vegetation communities and has a non-sodic B horizon. The underlying pan contains more angular, coarse fragments than further east and the Kinchant, coarse sandy variant soil is probably closer to the source material of the relict plains.

Soils of the levees, terraces and floodplains. The Pioneer soil occurs extensively along levees of the Pioneer River. Marian soil is associated on the levees and Cameron soil occurs on lower nearby terraces.

The Pioneer, red B horizon variant soil is located along levees and terraces of Sandy Creek. Morphological properties are similar to Pioneer soil except for slightly stronger profile development. This evidence combined with the fact that these two soils occur along Sandy Creek and the Pioneer River may support the view that Sandy Creek is a former course of the Pioneer River. The Marian, yellow B horizon variant soil is closely associated with the Pioneer, red B horizon variant soil.

St Helens soil occurs on higher terraces of the major streams such as St Helens, Cattle Creek, Owens Creek and the Pioneer River. Cameron soil usually occurs on lower terraces though often the different levels merge and intergrades between the two soils are common.

Cameron soil occurs on terraces and floodplains of the major streams, often between Murray soil on lower level floodplains and St Helens soil on the higher terraces.

Murray soil occurs on low level floodplains of streams, commonly only slightly higher than the streambed. Cameron soil is commonly associated.

Soils of the beach ridges and coastal dunes

The Andergrove soil occurs on beach ridges and dunes adjacent to the coast often immediately behind either Mangroves and Saltmarsh or Frontal Dunes mapping units. The largest occurrence is around Andergrove where the former dunes and beach ridges are up to 4 km inland. In this location small areas of undescribed red earthy sands and red earths occur on some ridge crests. Freshwater Swamps mapping units occupy depressions between dunes in some areas.

The Andergrove, coarse sandy variant soil occurs adjacent to the coast behind either Mangrove and Saltmarsh or Frontal Dunes mapping units. It occurs south of Mackay often with Dundula soil on adjacent alluvial plains. Freshwater Swamps mapping unit may occupy depressions between dunes.

The Andergrove, calcareous variant soil occurs only at Mentmore where the beach deposits have a high proportion of calcareous material. Undescribed sands of the Frontal Dunes mapping unit are associated.

Neils soil occurs adjacent to the coast north of Etowrie and at Bucasia. Mangroves and Saltmarsh mapping units form the coastal boundary.

The Frontal Dunes mapping unit includes undescribed siliceous sands of the high fore dunes.

Miscellaneous units

The Mountains and Hills mapping unit include all uplands unsuitable for cultivation. They are described in the data file in terms of geological formation and landform.

The Gullied Lands mapping unit includes all gullies whether in uplands or lowlands. Most of the gullied lands mapped are stabilised areas which are unsuitable for cultivation due to the extremely broken topography.

The Streambeds mapping unit includes the streambeds and banks of water-courses through the study area.

The Mangroves and Saltmarsh mapping unit includes those areas inundated by sea water. The soils have not been described.

The Freshwater Swamps mapping unit includes permanent freshwater swamps and the soils have not been described.

The Urban and Industrial mapping units have not been described in terms of their land resources since they are considered permanently alienated from agricultural use.

Skeletal soils include shallow, gravelly, stony, cobbly soil and lithosols. No area has been given for Skeletal soils for although they are commonly associated with many sedentary soils, any uma's in which they are dominant have been mapped as Mountains and Hills.

9.3 Notes on the mapping units

The soils are mapped as compound mapping units (containing several soil profile classes).

A mapping unit is an area or group of areas coherent enough to be represented to scale on a map, which can be adequately described in terms of its main soil profile classes (Beckett and Webster 1971). It is named after the dominant soil profile class present. Uma's in which there are two co-dominant soils are indicated in the data files by a soil variability rating but these mapping units have not been indicated on the soils map due to the limitation of map scale on data presentation.

The total area of each mapping unit is given in Table 6. The area given for a mapping unit only approximates the area of its dominant soil profile class since it also includes the area of the associated soils.

9.4 Chemical and physical characteristics of soils

Sixty one representative profiles from 53 soil profile classes and some of the more important soil profile class variants were sampled and analysed. The morphological and analytical data for representative soil profiles are listed in Appendix V.

The analytical methods used and general interpretations of soil test results are as outlined in Bruce and Rayment (1982).

All profiles were sampled with a jarret auger in 100 mm increments to 1 200 mm or shallower if parent material was encountered. If an horizon boundary was found the 100 mm sample was divided accordingly.

Table 7 lists the sites, condition of site, and soil profile classes sampled. Of the 61 profiles sampled, 23 were in cultivated land, 23 cleared and 15 from uncleared land.

Table 6. Areas for each mapping unit

Mapping unit name	Area (ha)
Soils of uplands derived from acid crystalline tuffs:	
Marwood	310
Munbura	910
Soils of uplands derived from acid to intermediate intrusives and dykes:	
sedentary soils with coarse surface textures	
Dunwold	3 650
Septimus	40
Uruba, sandy A horizon variant	80
alluvial-colluvial soils with coarse surface textures	
Gargett	3 640
Gargett, deep A horizon variant	420
Tannalo	1 210
sedentary soils with medium to fine surface textures	
Finch Hatton	1 650
Netherdale	800
Pinnacle	120
Uruba	2 140
Farleigh	2 590
alluvial-colluvial soils with medium to fine surface textures	
Kowari	290
Finch Hatton, alluvial-colluvial variant	430
Uruba, alluvial-colluvial variant	550
Soils of uplands derived from basic to intermediate volcanics:	
sedentary soils	
Wagoora	3 000
Wagoora, basic parent material variant	840
Nabilla	2 230
Royston	710
Martin	820
Kungurri	40
Glenella	2 210
Habana	1 450
alluvial-colluvial soils	
Silent Grove	2 770
Etowrie	1 520
Etowrie, neutral duplex variant	230
Soils of uplands derived from acid to intermediate volcanics:	
Whiptail	4 360
Wollingford	6 230
Wollingford, intrusive parent material variant	160
Wollingford, yellow B horizon variant	1 110
Mentmore	3 770
Mentmore, sandy loam variant	300
Belmunda	1 150
Soils of uplands derived from sedimentary rocks:	
Pindi	5 460
Jumper	1 540
Palmyra	690
Kuttambul	5 520
Mulei	280

Table 6. Continued

Mapping unit name	Area (ha)
Soils of alluvial-colluvial plains derived from sedimentary rocks and acid to intermediate volcanics:	
Ossa	5 850
Ossa, cobbly variant	440
Seaforth	1 090
Seaforth, dark B horizon variant	180
Seaforth, yellow B horizon variant	160
Balberra	1 520
Kuttabul, alluvial-colluvial variant	2 420
Soils derived from Quaternary alluvium:	
duplex soils of the alluvial plains	
Calen	12 630
Narpi	3 230
Eton	1 360
Sunnyside	4 250
Sandiford	5 900
Marian	6 480
Marian, yellow B horizon variant	1 340
Mirani	3 780
uniform clays of the alluvial plains	
Victoria Plains	10 020
Brightley	8 000
Benholme	1 070
Dundula	1 450
duplex soils of the relict plains	
Kinchant	1 570
Kinchant, coarse sandy variant	1 230
Allandale	230
Allandale, strongly sodic variant	140
soils of the levees, terraces and floodplains	
Pioneer	2 470
Pioneer, red B horizon variant	600
St Helens	2 380
Cameron	2 970
Murray	1 350
Soils of the beach ridges and coastal dunes:	
Andergrove	1 190
Andergrove, coarse sandy variant	290
Andergrove, calcareous variant	100
Neils	280
Frontal Dunes	440
Miscellaneous units:	
Mountains and hills	106 960
Gullied lands	4 270
Mangroves and saltmarsh	16 810
Freshwater swamps	630
Streambeds	3 890
Urban and industrial	4 510

Table 7. Site number, condition of site, and soil profile class sampled

Site No.	Soil Profile class	Site No.	Soil Profile Class
S 1	Whiptail (UC)	S 32	Kinchant, coarse sandy variant (C)
2	Calen (C)		
3	Jumper (UC)	33	Allandale, strongly sodic variant (UC)
4	Silent Grove (C)		
5	Jumper (UC)	34	Kinchant (UC)
6	Wagoora, basic parent material variant (C)	35	Allandale (UC)
7	Wagoora (C)	36	Tannalo (C)
8	Calen (C)	37	Gargett (C)
9	Victoria Plains (C)	38	Pinnacle (V)
10	Narpi (C)	39	Netherdale (UC)
11	St Helens (V)	40	Uruba (C)
12	Pindi (UC)	41	Kowari (C)
13	Cameron (V)	42	Finch Hatton (V)
14	Seaforth (C)	43	Pioneer (V)
15	Belmunda (C)	44	Marwood (UC)
16	Wagoora basic parent material variant (UC)	45	Munbura (C)
17	Ossa (UC)	46	Dundula (C)
18	Mulei (UC)	47	Balberra (UC)
19	Kuttabul (UC)	48	Sunnyside (C)
20	Royston (C)	49	Septimus (V)
21	Andergrove (V)	50	Nabilla (V)
22	Neils (C)	51	Eton (V)
23	Habana (V)	52	Palmyra (C)
24	Etowrie (V)	53	Brightley (V)
25	Glenella (V)	54	Wollingford (V)
26	Farleigh (V)	55	Mentmore (C)
27	Marian (V)	56	Silent Grove (V)
28	Martin (V)	57	Murray (V)
29	Benholme (UC)	58	Kungurri (V)
30	Dunwold (C)	59	Mirani (V)
31	Kuttabul, alluvial-colluvial variant (C)	60	Wollingford (V)
		61	Sandiford (V)

C - Cleared; UC - Uncleared; V - Cultivated.

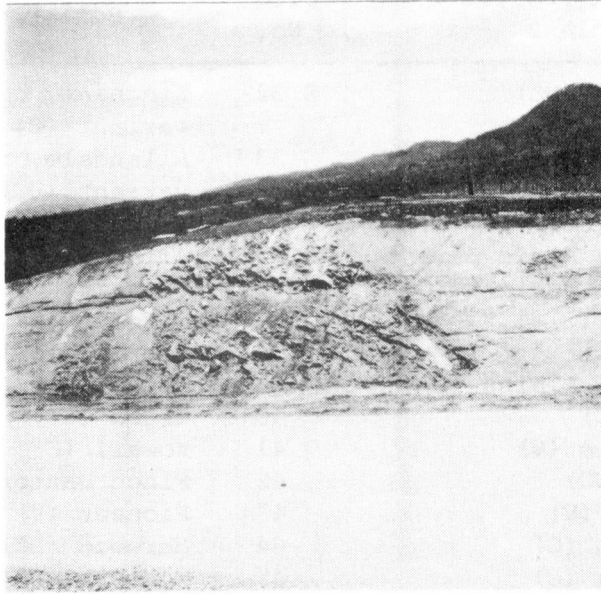


Plate 1. A road cutting near Uruba has exposed one of the many dykes in the Urannah Igneous Complex.

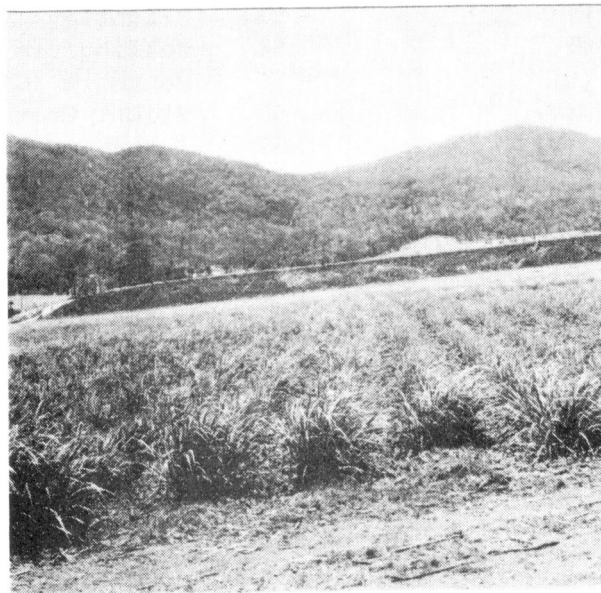


Plate 2. The alluvial-colluvial slopes from west of Finch Hatton east to Pinnacle have been truncated by Cattle Creek.



Plate 3. A cemented pan underlies the Kinchant soil of the relict plains.

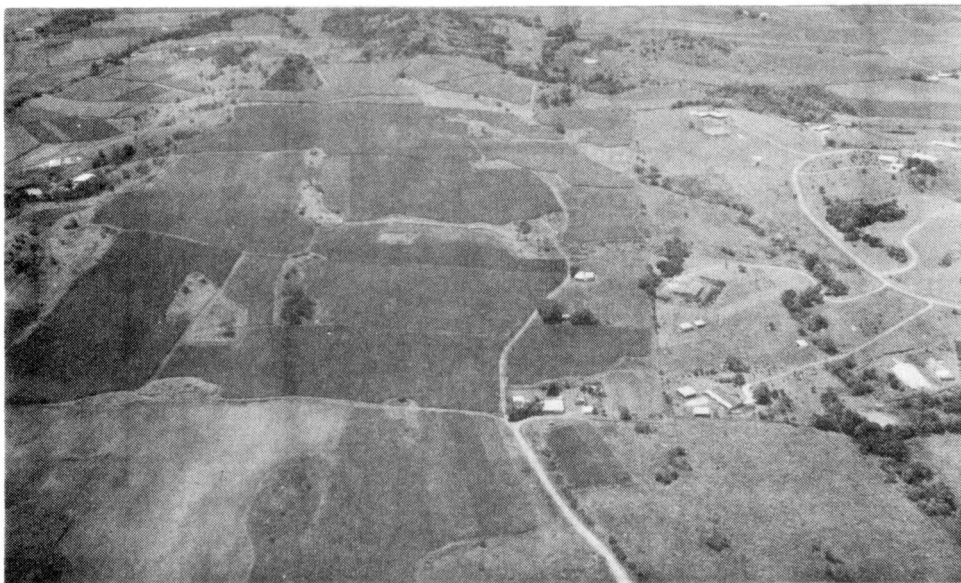


Plate 4. Steep, stony but fertile land north of Mackay.

Soil pH

Surface 0 to 100 mm soil pH values range from very strongly acid to slightly acid (pH 4.8 to 6.5). The mean 0 to 100 mm pH is pH 5.7 + 0.44. The low standard deviation indicates the uniformly acid surface pH values of this area. The only alkaline surface pH (pH 7.9) was on the mound of a gilgai in the Victoria Plains soil.

Using the pH of the lowest horizons given in the soil profile class descriptions (Appendix IV), and the area of mapping units (Table 6), the areas of soils with acid (pH 6.5), acid to neutral pH, neutral (pH 6.5 to 8.0), neutral to alkaline and alkaline (pH 8.0) pH in their lowest horizons was calculated. This data shows 19% of the area mapped has soils with acid pH, 35% has acid to neutral pH, 10% has neutral pH, 8% has neutral to alkaline pH and 28% has alkaline soils.

The soil pH reaction trends for the representative profiles of soils within the Mackay landscape units are given in Table 8.

Neutral to alkaline reaction trends are mainly associated with the duplex and uniform clay soils of the alluvial plains, the soils derived from alluvial-colluvial material from basic to intermediate volcanics and soils derived from sedimentary rocks.

Soils most strongly acid at depth are the Munbura (pH 5.1), the Marwood (pH 5.2) and the Kinchant (pH 5.2). Plant growth on these soils could be adversely affected by the release of plant available aluminium if the pH is allowed to drop below 5.0. Soil ameliorants such as lime or dolomite may benefit these soils by preventing a lowering of the pH which can occur following the addition of nitrogenous fertilisers. Rayment and Wallis (1981) found that for pigeonpea growing on Fiji soils, fair to good growth occurred on soils with a pH range of 5.0 to 5.4 but poor growth due to increased aluminium availability was observed on soils with lower pH (4.5 to 4.7).

Salinity and sodicity

No soils are classified as saline in either the surface or subsoil according to the criteria of Northcote and Skene (1972). The majority of the soils have low electrical conductivity (EC) and chloride values throughout the profile. However, some profiles do have medium levels of conductivity at depth (see Table 9). The Dundula soil is the only soil to have a high EC of 1.2 mS/cm (at 1 200 mm) and a chloride of 1 800 ppm, which accounts for 90% of the measured soluble salts. Similar trends for low profile salinity levels were found in the Proserpine district by Thompson *et al.* (1981) and they suggest this reflects a strongly leached soil environment. Gypsum was not found in any profiles.

Table 8. Soil pH reaction trends for the Mackay landscape units

Landscape unit	No. of Profiles	Depth (mm)	pH	
			Range	Mean*
Soils of uplands derived from acid crystalline tuffs	(2)	0-100	5.6-5.8	5.7
		1 100-1 200	5.1-5.2	5.1
Soils of uplands derived from acid to intermediate intrusives and dykes				
sedentary and alluvial-colluvial soils with coarse surface textures	(4)	0-100	5.2-5.9	5.6
		1 100-1 200	6.0-7.4	6.5
sedentary and alluvial-colluvial soils with medium to fine surface textures	(6)	0-100	5.1-5.9	5.5
		1 100-1 200	5.3-6.7	6.3
Soils of uplands derived from basic to intermediate volcanics				
sedentary soils	(9)	0-100	5.0-6.0	5.7
		1 100-1 200	5.4-8.6	-
alluvial-colluvial soils	(3)	0-100	5.3-6.2	5.9
		1 100-1 200	8.2	8.2
Soils of uplands derived from acid to intermediate volcanics				
Soils of uplands derived from acid to intermediate volcanics	(5)	0-100	5.3-5.8	5.6
		1 100-1 200	5.6-8.8	-
Soils of uplands derived from sedimentary rocks				
Soils of uplands derived from sedimentary rocks	(6)	0-100	5.2-5.9	5.6
		1 100-1 200	5.3-9.6	-
Soils of alluvial-colluvial plains derived from acid to intermediate volcanics and sedimentary rocks				
Soils of alluvial-colluvial plains derived from acid to intermediate volcanics and sedimentary rocks	(3)	0-100	5.4-6.0	5.7
		1 100-1 200	6.4-7.4	6.8
Soils derived from Quaternary alluvium				
duplex soils of alluvial plains	(9)	0-100	5.0-5.9	5.6
		1 100-1 200	6.3-8.9	-
uniform clays of alluvial plains	(4)	0-100	5.4-7.9	-
		1 100-1 200	7.5-8.5	8.1
duplex soils of relict plains	(4)	0-100	5.2-6.1	5.6
		800-900	5.4-9.8	-
soils of levees, terraces and floodplains	(4)	0-100	4.8-5.6	5.2
		500-600	5.0-5.7	5.4
Soils of the beach ridges and coastal dunes				
Soils of the beach ridges and coastal dunes	(2)	0-100	5.6-6.1	5.8
		1 100-1 200	5.9-6.8	6.4

* Mean pH values are not given for landscape units with both acid and alkaline soil reaction trends.

Chloride accounts for 70% of the soil soluble salts in all but two of the sites analysed. These sites, Jumper and Allandale, strongly sodic variant, have less than 60% of the soluble salts present as chloride. Very strongly alkaline pH is associated with these soils probably indicating the presence of other ions such as carbonate and bicarbonate.

Chloride profiles are illustrated in Figure 4 for soils derived from Quaternary alluvium. Mirani soil represents the majority of Mackay soils which have low to very low EC and chloride levels. The Dundula soil is situated near mangroves and has high EC and chloride levels. The Narpi and Benholme soils have some chloride present in their profiles but indicate strong leaching to 900 mm.

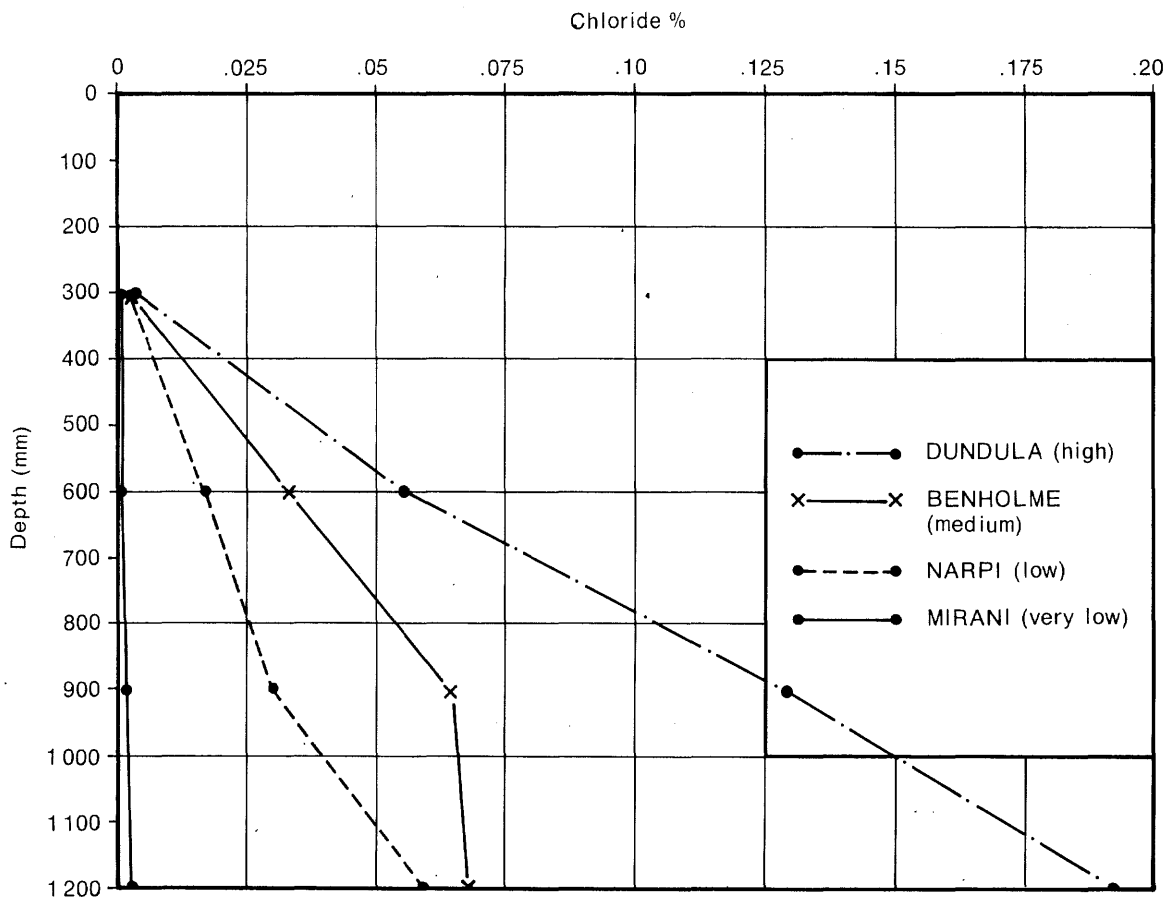


Figure 4 Chloride profiles for selected soils on Quaternary alluvium with very low, low, medium and high E.C. values

Table 9. Selected chemical data for soils with medium to high electrical conductivity values ($\geq .45$ mS/cm), or with strongly sodic subsoils (ESP > 15)

Soil	Depth (mm)	EC (mS/cm)	ESP	Ca/CEC	Mg/CEC %	Mg/Ca
Soils of uplands derived from basic to intermediate volcanics						
alluvial-colluvial soil						
Etowrie	500 - 600	.32	12	.5	58	1.2
	800 - 900	.51	15	.4	50	1.3
	1 100 - 1 200	.51	17	.4	48	1.2
Soils of uplands derived from acid to intermediate volcanics						
Whiptail	500 - 600	.33	24	.05	51	9.5
	800 - 900	.34	45	.02	62	25.8
	1 100 - 1 200	.47	49	.01	46	55.0
Wollingford (S60)*	500 - 600	.02	4	.3	27	1.0
	800 - 900	.05	9	.4	39	1.0
	1 100 - 1 200	.19	15	.4	45	1.0
Soils of uplands derived from sedimentary rocks						
Pindi	450 - 550	.02	5	.02	19	12.5
	800 - 900	.06	9	.002	19	96.0
	1 100 - 1 200	.12	16	.001	24	190.0
Jumper (S3)	500 - 600	.10	18	.3	62	2.4
	800 - 900	.30	29	.2	62	3.1
	1 100 - 1 200	.45	39	.1	68	4.8
Jumper (S5)	500 - 580	.27	48	.1	41	2.0
Soils of alluvial-colluvial plains derived from acid to intermediate volcanics and sedimentary rocks						
Ossa	400 - 500	.03	6	.2	14	0.6
	800 - 900	.12	13	.4	22	0.5
	1 100 - 1 200(D) ⁺	.17	17	.4	21	0.5
Balberra	500 - 600	.03	7	.3	27	1.1
	800 - 900	.09	12	.4	38	0.9
	1 100 - 1 200	.21	15	.4	40	1.0
Soils derived from Quaternary alluvium						
duplex soils of alluvial plains						
Calen (S2)	500 - 600	.03	9	.2	49	2.8
	800 - 900(D)	.10	24	.3	71	2.7
	1 050 - 1 100(D)	.15	27	.2	64	3.1
Eton	500 - 600	.14	5	.4	40	.9
	800 - 900	.33	10	.4	52	1.3
	1 100 - 1 200	.46	14	.3	54	1.7
uniform clays of alluvial plains						
Benholme	500 - 600	.20	5	.6	26	.4
	800 - 900	.46	8	.7	30	.5
	1 100 - 1 200	.51	10	.6	29	.5
Dundula	500 - 600	.32	11	.2	48	2.3
	800 - 900(D)	.78	16	.2	64	3.3
	1 100 - 1 200(D)	1.3	20	.2	67	3.2
duplex soils of relict plains						
Kinchant	500 - 600	.02	12	.01	20	25.0
	800 - 900	.07	19	.02	35	14.4
	1 100 - 1 200	.23	26	.02	39	22.3
Allandale	500 - 600	.14	7	.2	42	1.9
	800 - 900	.46	12	.3	56	2.1
	1 100 - 1 200(D)	.33	24	.3	54	2.0
Allandale, strongly sodic variant	400 - 500	.20	96	.03	13	4.1
	750 - 850	.17	70	.02	6	3.1
	1 100 - 1 200(Pan)	.15	87	.01	6	5.8

* S60 - site number; ⁺ (D) - buried layer;

For purposes of defining sodicity or exchangeable sodium percentage (ESP) the criterion of Northcote and Skene (1972) has been used. ESP's of 8 to 11 were calculated for the surface layers of the Septimus and Kinchant, coarse sandy variant soils. Although the levels of ESP classify these soils as sodic the analytical errors associated with exchangeable sodium values lower than 0.5 meq/100 g explain the obviously misleading results. The surface layers of all other soils are non sodic (ESP < 6).

Nineteen of the 61 profiles analysed had sodic subsoils (ESP 6 to 14) and a further nine had strongly sodic subsoils (ESP 15). The latter are presented in Table 9. The Allandale, strongly sodic variant soil has a maximum ESP of 96 at 600 mm depth.

Soil Survey Staff (1951) have indicated that advanced weathering of clays releases magnesium especially, and that in solodized solonetz soils most of the exchangeable sodium may have been lost. The same process may occur in soloths. Teakle (1950) has described a soil near Cardwell, north Queensland, which has 83% magnesium saturation of the total exchangeable cations and a low ESP; as a magnesium soloth. Thompson *et al.* (1981) also identified a soloth at Proserpine with 85% magnesium saturation, low ESP and columnar structure. The Seaforth soil profile has 64% magnesium saturation of the exchangeable cations and an ESP of 5 at depth. Similar levels are recorded for a soloth in the Glenelg region of Victoria (Stace *et al.* (1968), p. 185). The profile morphology of the Seaforth soil may be due to the magnesium levels.

The Sunnyside soil appears to be an anomaly. Its morphological properties fit the solodic - solodized solonetz soils, but the ESP is less than 1% and magnesium reaches only 38% saturation. van Wijk (unpublished data) has previously sampled a profile with similar morphology and in a similar topographic position adjacent to the study area at Alligator Creek. This profile has similar physical and chemical properties but with ESP's of 9 to 18% and magnesium saturation of 53 to 55% in the subsoil. Further profiles need to be analysed to clarify this anomaly.

In contrast, Wagoora and Pindi soils have friable and moderately permeable clay subsoils which become sodic to strongly sodic below 900 mm. Wagoora may be classified as a prairie soil on morphological features but has an ESP of 14 with 56% magnesium saturation of the exchangeable cations at 1 400 mm depth. Stace *et al.* (1968) have also described a soil at Bundaberg, Queensland, with similar properties as a prairie soil (p. 139). The Pindi soil is strongly sodic (ESP of 16) at 1 200 mm depth but the B horizon is friable to auger and has prismatic breaking to fine to medium blocky structure.

Magnesium to calcium ratio and dispersion ratios

Mg:Ca ratios were used by Emmerson and Bakker (1973) for assessment of the physical performance of some Victorian soils. They suggested that Mg to Ca ratios greater than one, associated with relatively low ESP, can cause clay dispersion, particularly in illitic soils. Leverington (1955) found illite to be a major clay constituent of some duplex soils in the Mackay district.

Mg:Ca ratios vary widely in the clay subsoils of duplex profiles at Mackay. There is a poor correlation between the Mg:Ca ratio and the dispersion ratio described by Bruce and Rayment (1982). Examples of this poor correlation include the Pindi soil which has the high Mg:Ca ratio at 900 mm depth of 96:1, but has only a moderate dispersion ratio of 0.62. In contrast, the Sunnyside soil has a 0.7:1 (Mg:Ca) ratio at 900 mm depth and a very high dispersion ratio of 0.98. Moreover, the Marian soil has a similar Mg:Ca ratio (0.6:1), but a low dispersion ratio of 0.48 at the same depth.

Bruce and Crack (1978) found Mg:Ca ratios in excess of 5:1 common for duplex soils in Queensland. Thompson *et al.* (1981) found ratios of 1.0 to 1.5 Mg:Ca in solodics at Proserpine while soloths varied from 5 to 30. At Mackay ratios vary from 0.7 to 6:1 for solodic - solodized solonetz soils and from 0.5 to 190:1 for soloths at 1 200 mm depth.

Cation exchange capacity, base saturation and cations (Ca, Mg and K)

The cation exchange capacity (CEC) and base saturation vary considerably over the suite of Mackay soils. The deep sandy soils of Marwood, Andergrove, Neils and Kinchant, coarse sandy variant have CEC's of 5 meq/100 g throughout the profiles. The CEC values would be even lower if determined at field pH as the soils are medium to strongly acid, except for the Neils soil which has a neutral pH. The CEC method used (Bruce and Rayment 1982) over-estimates CEC in acid soils, especially in the upper horizons containing high levels of organic matter.

The highest CEC's occur in the fine textured Victoria Plains and Brightley soils on alluvium, Silent Grove soil on alluvium-colluvium and the Royston and Wagoora, basic parent material variant (sample site 7) soils developed on basic to intermediate volcanics. They have A horizon CEC's of 36 to 57 meq/100 g and B horizons values 31 to 72 meq/100 g. The high CEC in the A horizon of the medium textured Kowari soil (42 to 44 meq/100 g) is probably related to the high organic carbon levels of 5.0 to 6.7%.

The base saturation of A horizons is generally less than that of B horizons. The mean base saturation of the 0 to 100 mm samples is 42% while that for the 500 to 600 mm samples is 65%. The lower depth samples from Netherdale soil have high base saturations of 140 to 160%. These could be due to cation release from primary minerals in the decomposing C horizon. Eleven profiles have highly base unsaturated B horizons (< 30%) and are all acid to strongly acid.

There are 38 sites that have not been previously cultivated for cane production although four of these sites have probably received some applications of superphosphate fertilisers on improved pastures.

Exchangeable calcium, magnesium and potassium levels for the 0 to 100 mm soil layers vary considerably with the major determinant of levels being soil texture. The mean and standard deviation of the Ca, Mg and K levels for coarse textured surface soils (sand to light sandy clay loam) and for finer textures, both fertilised and unfertilised, are shown in Table 10. The coarse textured soils generally have much lower levels. Although the data is inconclusive there appears to be little effect from fertiliser on levels except perhaps on the Ca levels in coarse textured soils.

Table 10. Exchangeable Ca, Mg and K levels for the 0 to 100 mm layer of coarse and finer textured soils, fertilised and unfertilised

	Coarse texture			Finer texture		
	Ca	Mg meq/ 100 g	K	Ca	Mg meq/ 100 g	K
Fertilised	2.06	0.92	0.24	4.84	2.92	0.37
	± 1.61	± 0.58	± 0.09	± 4.6	± 2.34	± 0.21
Unfertilised	1.29	0.84	0.19	4.81	3.24	0.3
	± 0.81	± 0.47	± 0.14	± 4.44	± 3.02	± 0.23

Total potassium and phosphorus

The total potassium levels in sedentary and alluvial-colluvial soils are variable and related mainly to parent material. Sedentary soils developed on granite such as the Dunwold and Septimus soils have total potassium levels of over 2%, whereas soils developed on intermediate volcanics such as the Wagoora, Royston and Nabilla soils have levels less than 0.5%.

There appears to be a good correlation between age and total potassium levels for soils developed on Quaternary alluvium. The provenance of the alluvium is dominated by the Urannah complex and so it is reasonable to assume there has been a consistent supply of potassium to the older and younger alluvium.

Figure 5 shows the total potassium levels down the profile for four groups of soils developed on Quaternary alluvium. The youngest soils, those on the levees, terraces and flood plains have the highest levels of total potassium followed by the duplex soils of the alluvial plains, the uniform clays and lowest levels are found in soils developed on the relict plains.

McDonald (pers. comm.) found a similar trend for soils at Emerald as did Thompson *et al.* (1981) for soils at Proserpine. The total potassium levels of the soils on Tertiary sediments at Proserpine are of the same order as the soils developed on the relict plains. This indicates the relict plains may be of Tertiary age.

Total phosphorus levels generally decrease down the profile. A similar pattern to total potassium levels in soils derived from alluvium is evident in Figure 6. The younger terrace soils have levels of 0.04 to 0.03% compared to the older duplex soils with levels of 0.025 to 0.15%. The soils of the relict plains have extremely low levels 0.01 to 0.004%

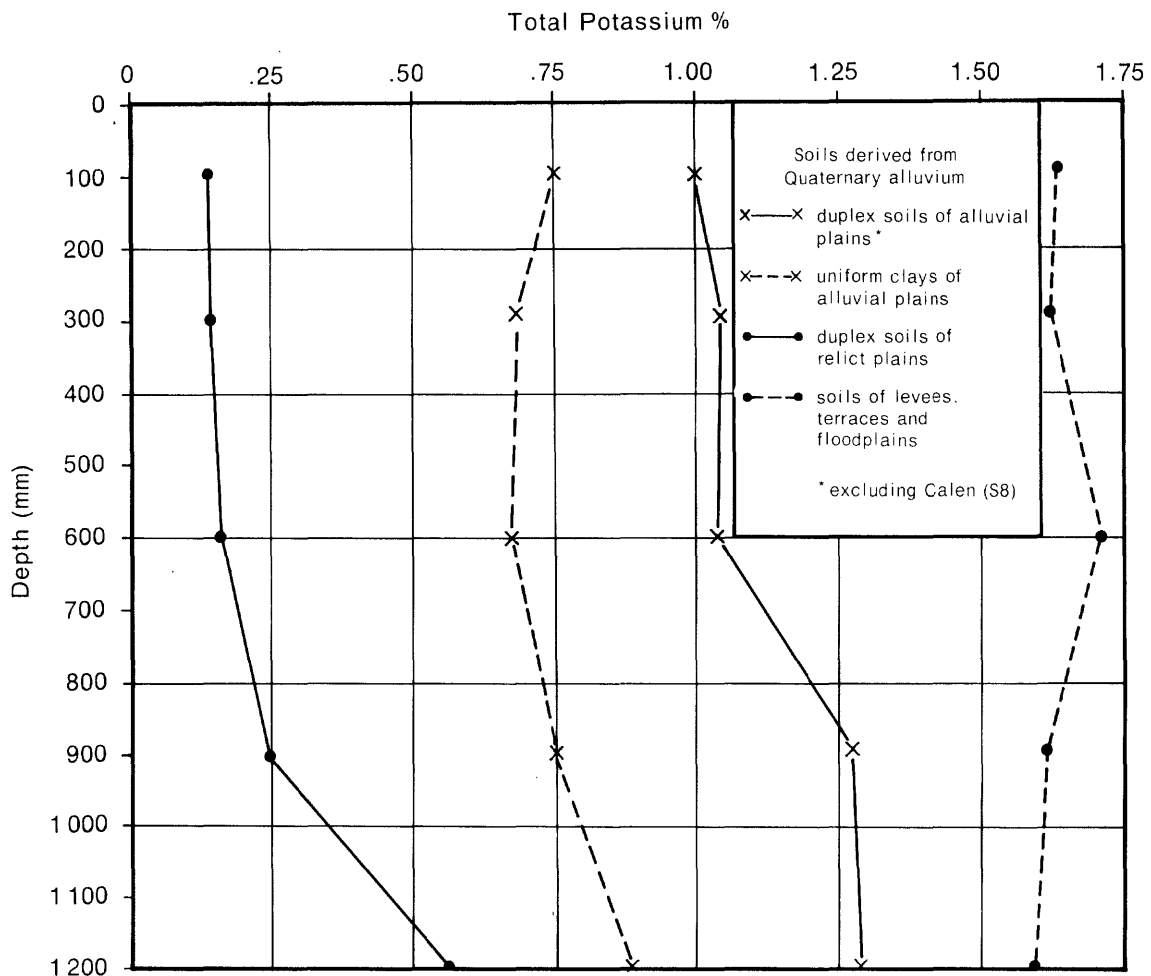


Figure 5 Total potassium profiles for soils derived from Quaternary alluvium

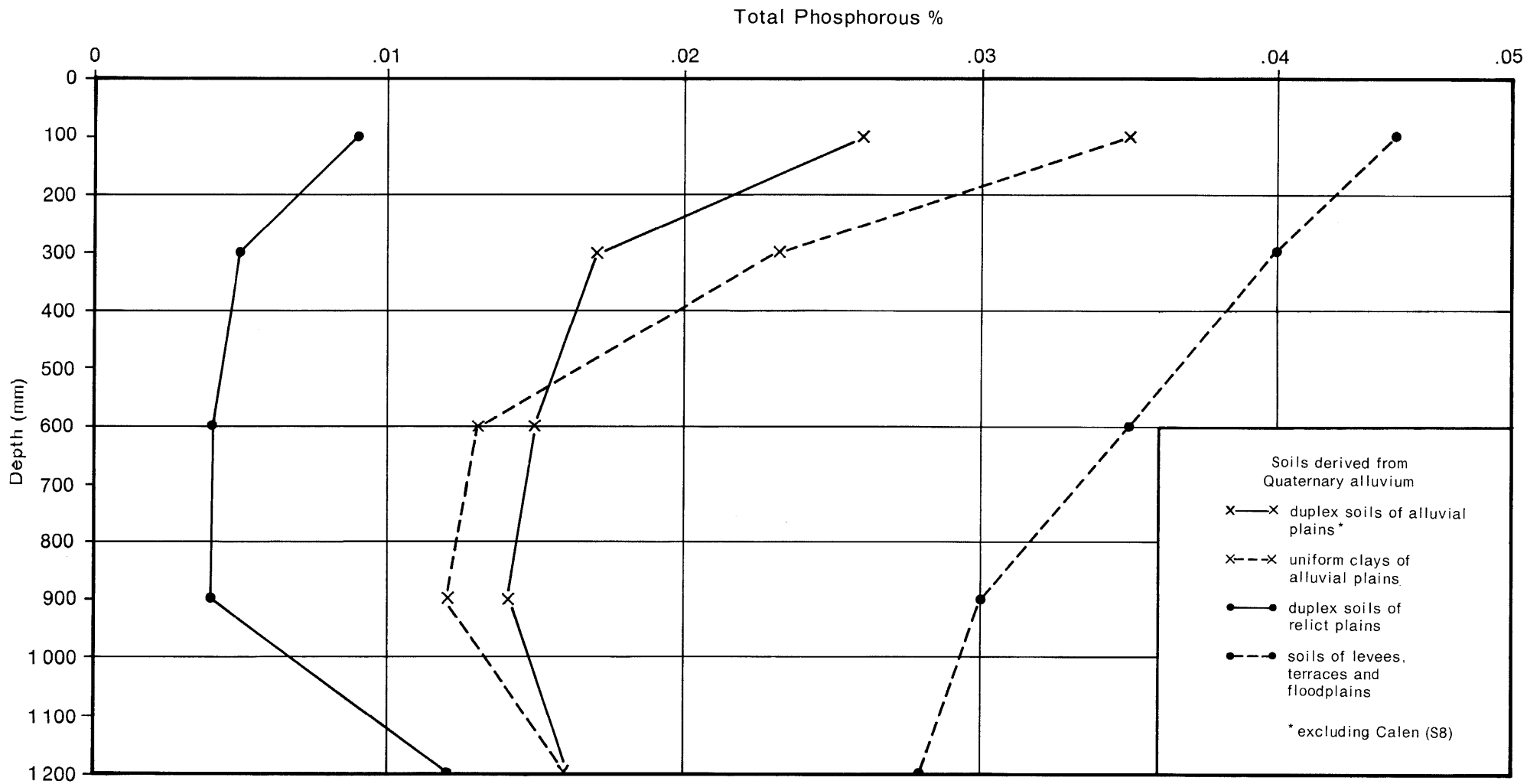


Figure 6 Total phosphorous profiles for soils derived from Quaternary alluvium

Levels in sedentary soils vary from 0.05 to 0.03% for soils developed on parent materials such as granodiorite and intermediate volcanics to 0.02 to 0.015% for soils developed on sediments and granite to 0.01% for soils developed on acid crystalline tuffs.

Available soil water capacity

The available soil water capacity (ASWC) is usually calculated using -1/3 and -15 bar water contents. Gardner (1971) claims that the -1/3 bar water content is not reliable for estimating the ASWC on machine ground (< 2 mm) clay soil samples.

Table 11 shows the calculated plant available water (PAW) for eleven profiles using the method of Shaw and Yule (1978). The calculated PAW was converted to volumetric water using a bulk density calculated from maximum gravimetric water content. The differences were then summed to the depth of maximum rate of increase in chloride concentrations (Shaw and Yule 1978).

Table 11. Calculated plant available water for eleven soils

Soil	Calculated PAW (mm)
Narpi	133
St Helens	122
Pindi	133
Cameron	112
Seaforth	125
Belmunda	120
Wagoora	139
Ossa	122
Mulei	116
Kuttabul	136
Royston	141

Particle size analysis

Figures 7 and 8 show the clay percentages down the profile for selected duplex and clay soils. The highest clay contents in the B horizons of the duplex soils are at the 500 to 600 mm sample depths. The increase in clay content at 1 100 to 1 200 mm in the Sandiford profile is due to a buried layer.

The clay soils generally have A horizon clay contents around 40 to 50% increasing to 60 to 70% down the profile. The sedentary Royston soil shows a decline in clay content below 300 mm as decomposing parent material is encountered at shallow depth.

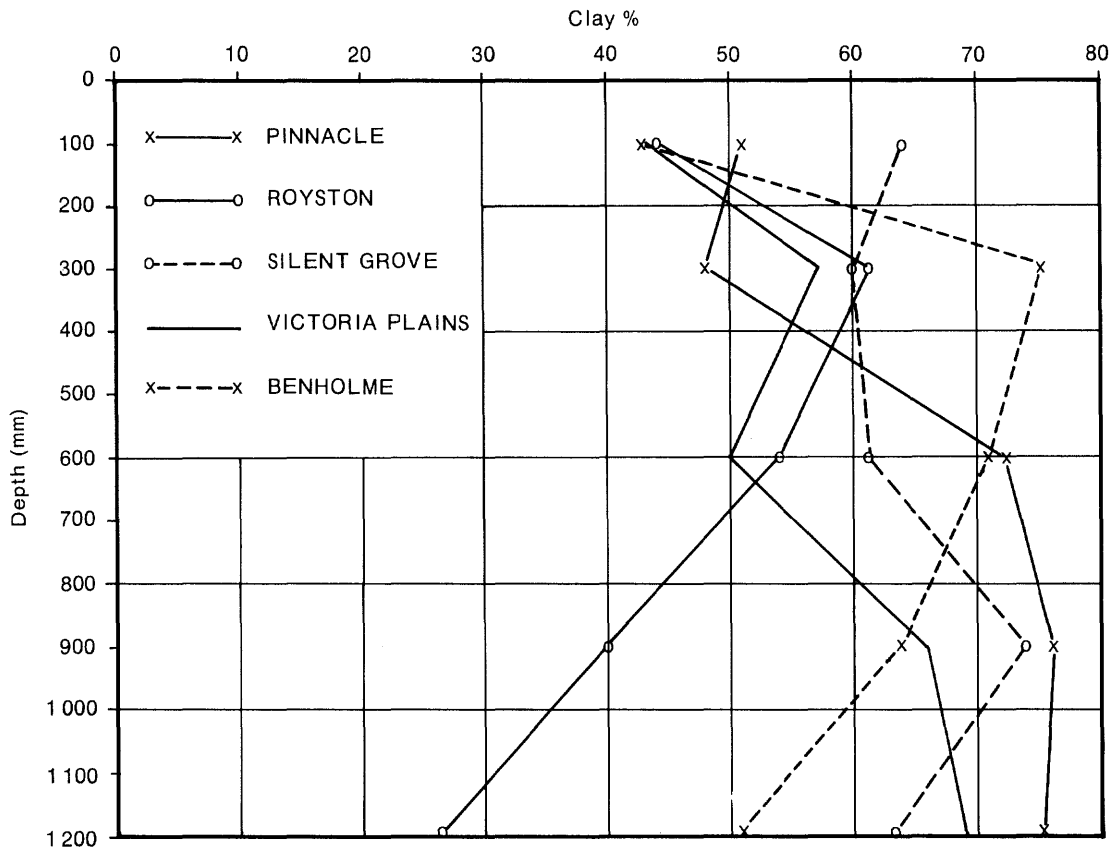


Figure 7 Clay percentage of selected clay soil profiles

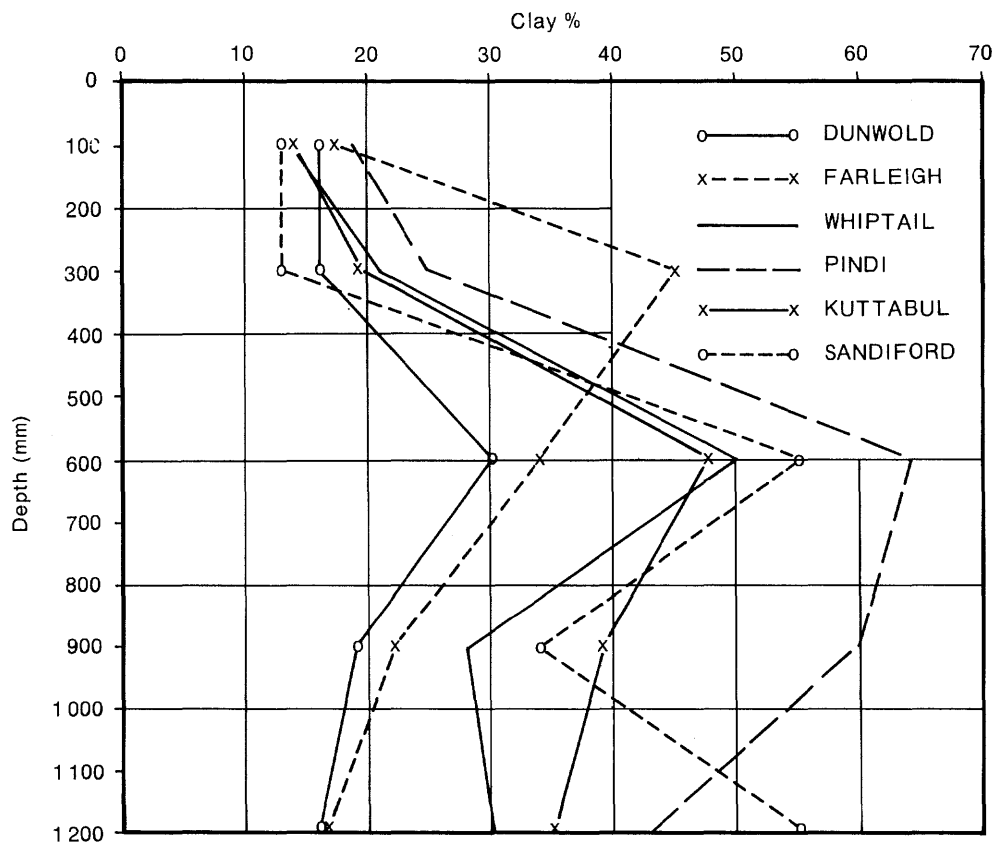


Figure 8 Clay percentage of selected duplex soil profiles

Clay activity ratio

The clay activity ratio (CEC/clay) m. equiv. per g clay, was calculated for the 500 to 600 mm and 800 to 900 mm samples. Results indicate most clay B horizons have activity ratios of around 0.4 to 0.5. The highest ratios of around 0.8 to 1.0 were in soils such as Wagoora, basic parent material variant, Royston, Kungurri and Silent Grove which are associated with intermediate to basic volcanics. The alluvial clay soils had ratios of 0.7 to 0.6.

Of particular interest is the Pinnacle soil which has around 70% clay and an activity ratio of only 0.1, indicating that kaolin is the dominant clay mineral. The Munbura and Neils soils also have low ratios of 0.1 to 0.2.

Soil fertility

Chapman *et al.* (1981) gives critical soil nutrient levels for sugar cane growing as 'deficient' where 'a yield response to fertiliser application is most probable' and 'marginal' where 'crop responses are less likely to occur'. The chance of a yield response from fertiliser is only slight if soil nutrient levels are above the marginal levels. These levels are given in Table 12.

Table 12. Critical soil nutrient levels for sugar cane (Chapman *et al.* 1981)

Soil nutrient	Deficient	Marginal	Unit
P	5	5 - 20	ppm
K (after harvest)	0.12	0.12 - 0.20	meq/100 g
K (after fallow)	0.17	0.17 - 0.25	meq/100 g
Ca	0.5	0.5 - 1.5	meq/100 g
Mg	0.08	0.08 - 0.3	meq/100 g
SO ₄ - S	5	5 - 10	ppm
Cu ⁴	0.3	0.3 - 0.5	ppm
Zn	0.8	0.8 - 5.0	ppm
Fe	5	5 - 10	ppm
Mn	5	5 - 10	ppm

These critical levels approximate the low to very low general ratings of Bruce and Rayment (1982).

Interpretation of soil nutrient levels is highly problematic especially with sugar cane. Chapman (1982) found poor correlations between soil analyses for N, P and K and yield responses. Haysom (pers. comm.) suggests the 12 month crop cycle and thus the long period over which the cane plant can 'forage' for nutrients, makes the levels of soil nutrients, particularly trace elements, less critical for sugar cane than for other crops with shorter growing periods.

Soil fertility ratings for the 0 to 100 mm layers of soils in the landscape units are given in Table 13. Fertility ratings within landscape units vary considerably but the soils derived from crystalline acid tuffs, the soils of the relict plains and the soils of the coastal dunes and beach ridges all have low fertility. Soils with medium to high fertility include the uniform clays of the alluvial plains and soils derived from intermediate to basic volcanics.

The extractable phosphorus (acid P) levels of fertilised and unfertilised profiles were compared. Phosphorus levels in the 0 to 100 mm sample were 10 ppm or less for 31 of the 34 unfertilised sites. The Kowari soil is unique with P levels in excess of 300 ppm.

Seventeen of the 27 fertilised sites had acid P levels in excess of 20 ppm with only three sites having less than 10 ppm.

Organic carbon levels (uncorrected Walkley and Black) were compared between 24 permanently cultivated and 37 non-cultivated sites for the 0 to 100 mm layers. The permanently cultivated sites have a mean level of 1.1% C ranging from 0.3 to 2.7% C. The non-cultivated sites have a mean level of 1.6% C ranging from 0.7 to 6.7% C. Whether a drop of 0.5% C in the cultivated soils is significant to soil workability and soil fertility is as yet unknown.

The organic carbon levels are lower in soils with coarse surface textures. The Kowari soil has the highest level of 6.7% C.

Carbon : nitrogen ratios vary considerably between soils. There appears to be no pattern within landscape units or between cultivated and non-cultivated sites. The mean C:N ratio for all soils is 13.9:1 in the surface 100 mm with a range from 6:1 to 24:1. Probert (1977) calculated a mean ratio of 13.5:1 for some north Queensland soils but also with considerable variation.

Thompson *et al.* (1981) report C:N ratio means of 16:1 to 19:1 for soil groups of the Proserpine lowland. Blakemore and Miller (1968) associated high C:N ratios with infertile soils in New Zealand and Thompson *et al.* (1981) report a similar pattern for Prosperine soils. However, Kowari (non-cultivated) and St Helens (cultivated) are two of the most 'fertile' soils in Mackay and also have the highest ratios, 24:1 and 20:1 respectively. Probert (1977) also found high ratios for soils not considered 'infertile'.

Total sulphur levels decrease with depth in nearly all soil profiles analysed. However, Chapman *et al.* (1981) found that sulphate sulphur levels marginally increased with depth. Most soils have total sulphur levels of less than 0.02% with coarse textured soils often having levels less than 0.01%. The highest level, exceeding .05%, was recorded in the Kowari soil.

Soils with coarse surface textures have low Cu levels 0.1 to 0.3 ppm and yield responses in sugar cane to applications of copper sulphate have occurred in some areas. Most other soils have levels of 0.3 to 5 ppm.

Zinc levels are low (0.2 to 0.5 ppm) in the Marwood, Munbura, Septimus, Gargett, Pinnacle, Sandiford, Andergrove and Allandale, strongly sodic variant soils. Other soils have adequate levels.

Manganese levels range from 4 to 345 ppm with most soils having medium to high levels. Soils with levels less than 10 ppm include Marwood, Mulei, Mirani, Kinchant, Allandale, strongly sodic variant and Andergrove.

The iron levels which range from 18 ppm to 280 ppm are considered adequate for sensitive crops (Viets and Lindsay 1973).

Calcium levels are generally adequate but some 16, 0 to 100 mm layer samples have levels less than 1.5 meq%. Yield responses in sugar cane to calcium fertiliser (dolomite, lime, gypsum) have occurred, particularly on coarse textured soils.

Magnesium levels of less than 0.3 meq% in the 0 to 100 mm layer samples occur in the Septimus and Andergrove soils.

In the Mackay district, no yield responses in sugar cane have been observed to applications of iron, magnesium, zinc or sulphur (Haysom pers. comm.).

Table 13. Soil fertility ratings for landscape units (0 to 100 mm layer)

Landscape unit	Organic carbon	Phosphorus *Acid-P	Potassium Exch K*	Sulphur Total S	DTPA Fe ¹	Extractable elements		
						Mn	Cu	Zn
Soils of uplands derived from acid crystalline tuffs	low	v. low	v. low	low	adequate	medium	low	low
Soils of uplands derived from acid to intermediate intrusives and dykes -								
coarse surface textures	v. low - low	v. low - high	low - medium	v. low - low	adequate	medium	low - medium	low - medium
medium to fine surface textures	low - v. high	v. low - v. high	medium - high	low - high	adequate	medium - high	medium	medium
Soils of uplands derived from basic to intermediate volcanics	low - high	v. low - high	low - high	low - medium	adequate	medium - high	medium - high	medium
Soils of uplands derived from acid to intermediate volcanics	low - medium	v. low	low - high	low - medium	adequate	medium - high	medium - high	medium - high
Soils of uplands derived from sedimentary rocks	low - medium	v. low	v. low - low	low - medium	adequate	medium	low - medium	medium
Soils of alluvial-colluvial plains derived from acid to intermediate volcanics and sedimentary rocks	low	v. low	low	low	adequate	medium	low - medium	medium
Soils derived from Quaternary alluvium								
duplex soils of alluvial plains	low	v. low	low	low	adequate	medium - high	medium	medium
uniform clays of alluvial plains	medium	v. low - high	medium - high	low - medium	adequate	medium - high	medium	medium
duplex soils of relict plains	low	v. low	low - medium	low	adequate	medium	low	low - medium
soils of levees, terraces and flood plains	v. low - low	#	#	low	adequate	medium - high	medium	medium
Soils of the beach ridges and coastal dunes	low	#	#	low	adequate	medium	low	low - medium

* For non-cultivated sites only

All sites are cultivated

¹ This rating is based upon Viets and Lindsay (1973), all other ratings are from Bruce and Rayment (1982)

10. LAND DEGRADATION

10.1 Salinity and sodicity

At this stage no definitive work has been completed on the types and causes of salinity and sodicity in the Mackay district. To date, the total area affected has been estimated at 400 ha, and is increasing.

Three broad categories of affected soils have been recognised. These include problems caused by sea water intrusion, by shallow water tables and seepages associated with uplands, and by relict sodic areas.

Sea water intrusion

Soils affected by sea water intrusion have high levels of total soluble salts. Underground water quality has been affected by excessive pumping from aquifers close to the coast which has allowed sea water into previously fresh water aquifers. South of Mackay city the salt water - fresh water interface occurs 1 to 4 km from the coast. Water quality from bores in susceptible areas is monitored, especially in times of low rainfall and pumping is restricted when necessary.

Areas affected by sea water intrusion tend to be larger than seepage areas, often 2 to 10 ha. The total area affected is 80 to 100 ha.

Seepages associated with uplands

Groundwater seepage may result in salt affected soils with either medium to high levels of total soluble salts and/or strongly alkaline pH. The outbreaks are locally referred to as 'soda patches' where the often spectacular effects in sugar cane blocks include no crop growth, extremely hard and intractable soils when dry and wet 'spewey' soils for long periods following rain. These severe symptoms mostly occur in relatively small areas of less than 0.5 ha although outbreaks of 5 ha have been recorded. It is suspected that there must be larger areas which suffer less spectacular growth restrictions and so go undetected.

There is a good correlation between geological formation and susceptibility to outbreaks. The Urannah Igneous Complex and Calen Coal Measures have little secondary salting associated while the Carmila Beds, Lizzie Creek Volcanics and Campwyn Beds each have potential for the development of secondary salting. The outbreaks usually occur in footslope positions often at the boundary between Victoria Plains or Calen soils and sodic upland soils such as Wollingford, Whiptail or Jumper. Soils developed on intermediate

volcanics such as Nabilla and Glenella, may have secondary salting developed in lower slope positions. Within the study area there is approximately 150 ha severely affected by seepage salting and sodicity.

Ameliorative measures recommended by the BSES include gypsum applications, together with subsurface drainage. The aim is to improve profile drainage, lower water tables, displace sodium ions from the exchange complex and leach the profile.

Relict sodicity

Relict sodic areas occur south of Marian, and near Palmyra. These areas developed prior to land clearing and supported only depauperate plant communities. The profiles have low levels of salts, but the cation exchange complex is dominated by sodium and the B horizon is strongly alkaline. There are approximately 150 ha affected.

10.2 Soil erosion

The extent of existing soil erosion was recorded for each uma suitable or marginally suitable for agriculture. Current erosion is difficult to assess in cane land because the regular cultivation and landscaping undertaken by farmers tends to disguise the effects of erosion. Evidence for erosion includes rills down furrows, soil deposition, exposed B horizons or unusually shallow A horizons and gullies. Stream bank erosion is also difficult to assess due to limited access to streams.

There are 1 740 ha suffering severe, accelerated soil erosion. This is mainly due to rill erosion in cane inter-rows oriented down the slope, especially in highly erodible soils such as Dunwold and Kuttabul.

Gully erosion is generally not severe in this district with most occurrences due to poor farming practices where water is concentrated into headlands and inappropriate waterways. The most serious gully erosion occurs in those soils with sodic B horizons.

Some 23 600 ha have observable, though not severe, symptoms of erosion, again due mainly to rill erosion in inter-rows of cane land. There was little evidence of extensive erosion in grazing lands, the problems in these areas being primarily associated with roads and tracks.

34 100 ha of erodible land show little evidence of erosion but probably suffer minor rill erosion. Minor gully erosion may occur where water disposal is poorly designed. These less eroding lands require soil conservation measures to stabilise the land surface and maintain the productive potential of the soil.

Streambank erosion is not a major problem but there have been isolated serious problems along St Helens, Murray and Cattle Creeks.

The total area of land which requires soil erosion control measures is approximately 66 500 ha. By the end of 1983 some 4 500 ha of cane land will have contour banks or other soil erosion control measures implemented.

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APPENDIX IExplanation of codes for the uma data file*Location*

Eastings. Australian Map Grid (AMG) reference for a labelling point within the unique map area (uma).

Northings. AMG reference for the same point within the uma.

Zone. A code for the zone designation of the AMG. The survey area is entirely within zone SF55 coded as 55.

Resource inventory

Uma number. A numeric code assigned sequentially from the first uma described through to the last (1 to 9999).

Mapping unit name. Based on the dominant soil (soil profile class). Symbols are from the reference on the soils map.

Geological reference. Map symbols from the Proserpine and Mackay 1:250 000 geological series.

Parent material. Indicates alluvial-colluvial material.

Soils - variability.

1. Relatively homogenous, similar agricultural soils associated.
2. Relatively homogenous, dissimilar agricultural soils associated.
3. Relatively heterogenous, similar agricultural soils associated.
4. Relatively heterogenous, dissimilar agricultural soils associated.

Associated soils. Codominant and/or minor associates.

Slopes. Minimum, modal and maximum slopes of the uma estimated in per cent.

Erosion assessment (EA).

- 0 - no significant water erosion.
- 1 - little evidence of erosion; land probably suffers minor sheet and rill.
- 2 - observable erosion; including soil deposition, minor gullies, eroded furrows and exposed subsoil in cultivation.
- 3 - severe erosion; gullies developed.
- 4 - streambank erosion.

Landform.

Erosional terrain -

		Relative relief	Slope
LP	Level plain	< 9 m	< 1%
GP	Gently undulating plain	< 9 m	1 - 3%
UP	Undulating plain	< 9 m	3 - 10%
RP	Rolling plain	< 9 m	10 - 32%
B	Badlands	< 9 m	> 32%
GR	Gently undulating rises	9 - 30 m	1 - 3%
UR	Undulating rises	9 - 30 m	3 - 10%
RR	Rolling rises	9 - 30 m	10 - 32%
SR	Steep rises	9 - 30 m	32 - 56%
B	Badlands	9 - 30 m	> 56%
UL	Undulating low hills	30 - 90 m	3 - 10%
RL	Rolling low hills	30 - 90 m	10 - 32%
SL	Steep low hills	30 - 90 m	32 - 56%
VL	Very steep low hills	30 - 90 m	56 - 100%
B	Badlands	30 - 90 m	> 100%
UH	Undulating hills	90 - 300 m	3 - 10%
RH	Rolling hills	90 - 300 m	10 - 32%
SH	Steep hills	90 - 300 m	32 - 56%
VH	Very steep hills	90 - 300 m	56 - 100%
PH	Precipitous hills	90 - 300 m	> 100%
RM	Rolling mountains	> 300 m	10 - 32%
SM	Steep mountains	> 300 m	32 - 56%
VM	Very steep mountains	> 300 m	56 - 100%
PM	Precipitous mountains	> 300 m	> 100%

* Source: Speight, J.G. (1984), 'Landform', in 'Australian Soil and Land Survey Field Handbook', McDonald, R.C., Isbell, R.F., Speight, J.G. Walker, J. and Hopkins, M.S. (Inkata Press, North Clayton, Victoria).

Aggraded terrain -

LA	Plain, alluvial
LM	Plain, marine (tidal flat)
FL	Flat, alluvial and alluvial-colluvial, localised
SP	Swamp
DB	Coastal dune, beach ridge and foredune
LE	Levee
TS	Terrace, stream (level 1)
TT	Terrace, level 2
TU	Terrace, level 3
TV	Terrace, level 4
SB	Stream-channel (streambank and bed)

Salt affected soils (SAS).

- F - saline/sodic patches associated with uplands; that is, usually footslopes and nearby alluvium.
- P - saline/sodic patches on alluvial plain.
- I - saline patches due to sea water intrusion.

*Land suitability*Limitations to cane production.

- m - moisture availability
- n - soil nutrient
- s - salinity/sodicity
- t - topography
- k - soil workability
- r - stoniness
- w - wetness
- e - erosion
- f - flooding

Land suitability class.

1. Land suitable for long term sugar cane production with no limitations.
2. Land suitable with slight limitations.
3. Land suitable with moderate limitations.
4. Land marginally suitable with severe limitations.
5. Land not suitable for long term production of sugar cane.

Areas

Total area. Total area of each uma.

Estimated assigned area. Estimated existing assigned area in each uma.

Potential assigned area. Estimated potential assigned area in each uma.

Alienated land. Land in each uma used for infrastructure and/or not suitable for cane production.

Identity

Survey code. MCLS - Mackay Sugar Cane Land Suitability Study.

Record type number. Number 23.

APPENDIX III

Common and Scientific Names of Plant Species

Scientific Name	Common Name
<i>Eucalyptus alba</i>	Poplar gum
<i>E. drepanophylla</i>	Queensland grey ironbark
<i>E. intermedia</i>	Pink bloodwood
<i>E. papuana</i>	Ghost gum
<i>E. tereticornis</i>	Queensland blue gum
<i>E. tessellaris</i>	Moreton Bay ash
<i>Melaleuca dealbata</i>	Tea-tree
<i>M. leucadendron</i>	Weeping tea-tree
<i>M. nervosa</i>	Tea-tree
<i>M. viridiflora</i>	Broad leaf tea-tree
<i>Pandanus spp.</i>	Pandanus, screw pine
<i>Planchonia careya</i>	Cocky apple
<i>Tristania suaveolens</i>	Swamp mahogany
<i>Xanthorrhoea johnsonii</i>	Grasstree, black boy

APPENDIX IV DESCRIPTION OF SOIL PROFILE CLASSES

MARWOOD (Mw)

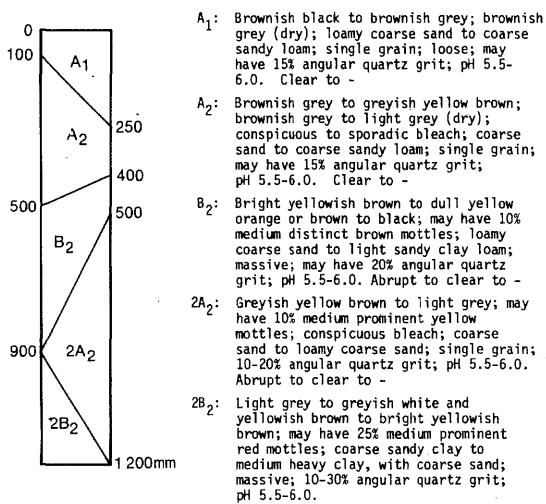
Concept: An acid bleached sand with an iron-organic B₂ horizon in the A horizon of an acid gleyed duplex soil developed on coarse grained acid tuffs and intrusives.

Principal Profile Form: Uc 2.21, 3.21.

Great Soil Group: Podzol developed in A horizon of gleyed podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Rhyodacitic crystal tuffs of Carmila Beds and acid intrusives.

Landform: Gently undulating plains and rises; modal slopes 1-4%.



Comments: The depth and degree of development of the B₂ horizon is variable.

DUNWOLD (Du)

Concept: An acid, bleached mottled yellow-grey sandy duplex soil developed on granite of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

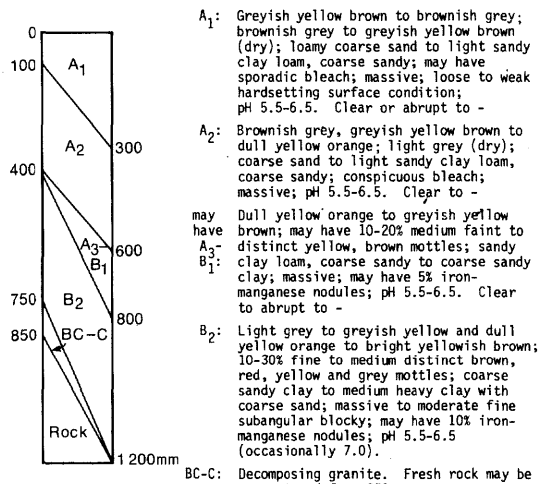
Principal Profile Form: Dy 5.41, 5.42, 3.41; Dg 4.41, 4.42; Dy 5.81, 5.82.

Great Soil Group: Yellow-gleyed podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Granite of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Landform: Undulating plains to undulating rises; modal slopes 3-9% but may range to 15%.

Surface Features: May have 1-3% subangular gravel and cobble.



Comments: Alkaline pH in the B horizon of some profiles along the Gargett-Septimus fault line is probably due to influence from nearby Lizzie Creek volcanics.

Structure of the B horizon may vary from massive to moderate blocky over short distances.

MUNBURA (Mn)

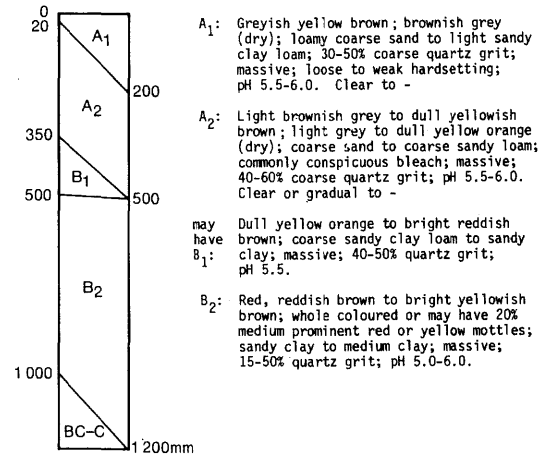
Concept: An acid, bleached red-yellow, massive, sandy duplex to gradational soil developed on coarse grained acid tuffs and intrusives.

Principal Profile Form: Dr 4.81; Dy 5.81; Gn 2.111, 2.14, 2.54.

Great Soil Group: Red-yellow podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Rhyodacitic crystal tuffs of Carmila Beds and acid intrusives.

Landform: Gently undulating plains to undulating rises, modal slopes 2-4%.



SEPTIMUS (Sp)

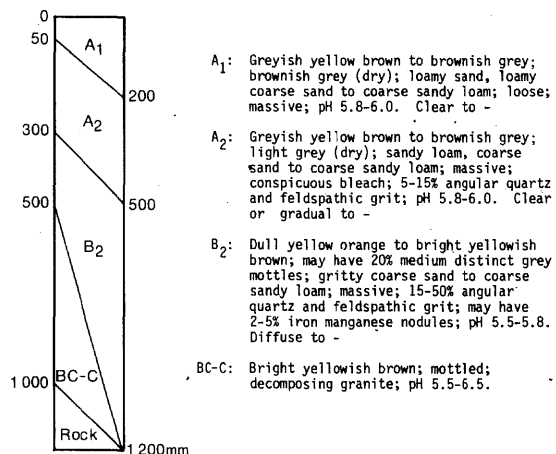
Concept: An acid, bleached sand with pale yellow B horizon developed on granite of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Principal Profile Form: Uc 2.21, 2.22.

Great Soil Group: Rudimentary podzol.

Parent Material: Granite, mainly of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Landform: Undulating rises; modal slopes 2-4% ranging to 8-12%.



Comments: Occasionally the upper 10 cm of the B horizon has a coarse sandy clay loam texture, thus these Gn 2.34 profiles are bleached yellow earths.

Appendix IV (Continued)

URUBA, sandy A horizon variant (Ub 2)

Concept: An acid, bleached yellow sandy duplex to gradational soil developed on granite of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

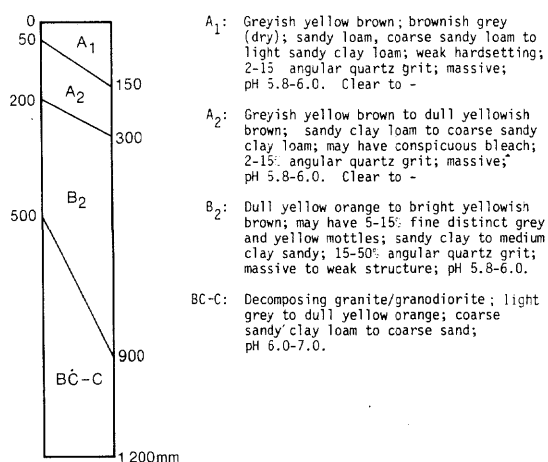
Principal Profile Form: Dy 2.82, 2.61, 3.82; Gn 2.65.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group.

Parent Material: Acid intrusives (granite to granodiorite) of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Landform: Undulating to rolling rises; modal slopes 6-8% ranging to 16%.

Surface Features: Some rock outcrop.



GARGETT (Ga)

Concept: A neutral, bleached mottled yellow-grey sandy duplex soil developed on alluvial-colluvial material from acid intrusives of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

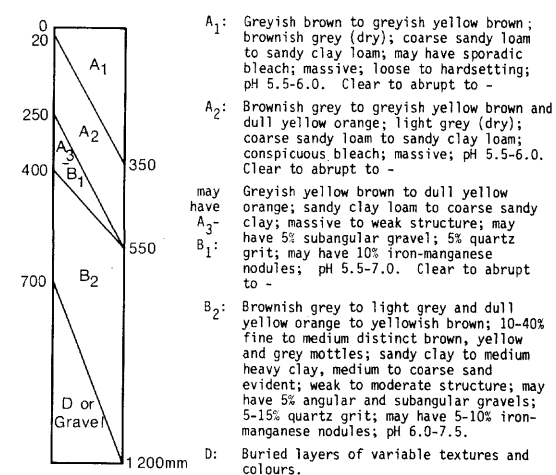
Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.42, 3.82, 5.42, 5.82, 3.41; Dg 4.82, 2.42.

Great Soil Group: Yellow-gleyed podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material from acid intrusives (granites) of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Landform: Gently undulating to undulating plains and rises; modal slopes 1-3% but ranging to 6%.

Surface Features: May have 2% subangular cobble and gravel.



Comments: Alkaline pH in the B horizon of some profiles along the Gargett-Septimus fault line is probably due to influence from the Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

GARGETT, deep A horizon variant (Ga 1)

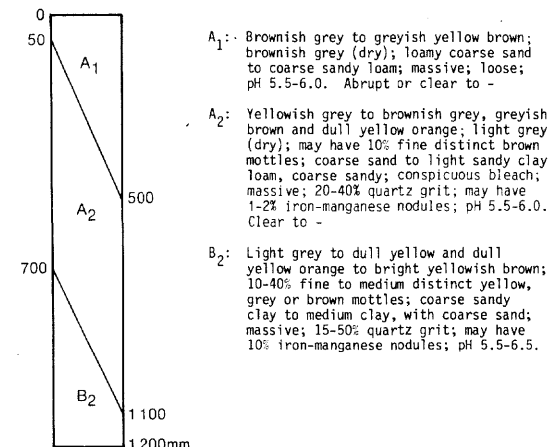
Concept: An acid, gleyed duplex soil with deep bleached sandy A horizon developed on alluvial-colluvial material from acid intrusives of Urannah Igneous Complex.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 5.81; Dg 4.81.

Great Soil Group: Gleyed podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial materials from acid intrusives (granite) of Urannah Igneous Complex.

Landform: Gently undulating plains and rises; modal slopes 1-4%.



TANNALO (Ta)

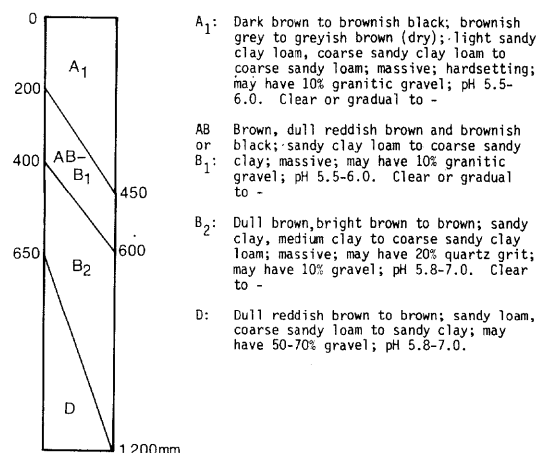
Concept: An acid to neutral brown massive sandy gradational soil developed on alluvial-colluvial material from the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Principal Profile Form: Gn 2.21, 2.22, 2.41, 2.42; Db 1.51.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material from acid to intermediate intrusives (granite to granodiorite) of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Landform: Gently undulating to undulating plains; modal slopes 2-4% ranging to 6%.



Comments: Some associated profiles are brown with uniform textures; Um 5.52.

Appendix IV (Continued)

FINCH HATTON (Fn)

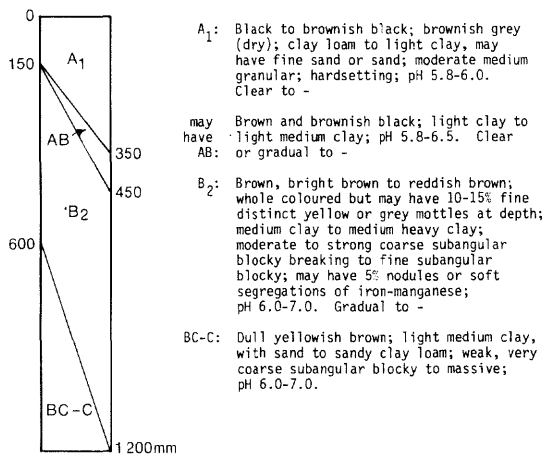
Concept: A neutral, red-brown non-cracking clay to gradational soil developed on granodiorite - diorite mainly of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Principal Profile Form: Uf 6.31, 6.34; Gn 3.71.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group.

Parent Material: Granodiorite - diorite of Urannah Igneous Complex and Mt Jukes Syenite Complex.

Landform: Undulating to rolling rises; modal slopes 6-10% ranging from 4-18%.



Comments: Weathered biotite is common in the B and C horizons. These soils intergrade with Netherdale and Uruba soils. Virgin profiles may have had clay loam surface textures but due to erosion and cultivation most now have clay surface textures.

PINNACLE (Pc)

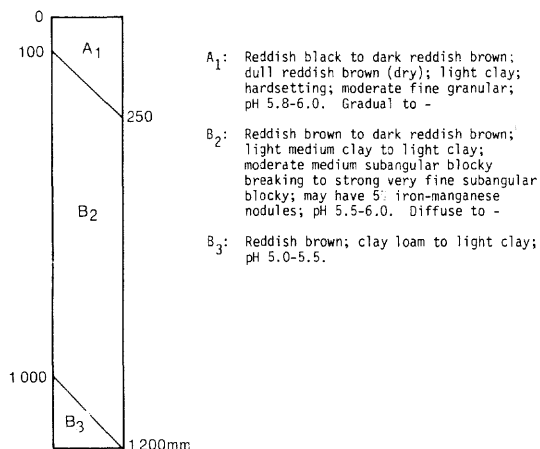
Concept: An acid, red, non-cracking clay developed on basic dyke rocks of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Principal Profile Form: Uf 6.31.

Great Soil Group: Krasnozem.

Parent Material: Probably basic fine grained material from dykes of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Landform: Undulating rises; modal slope 4-6%.



Comments: B₂ horizons of bright yellowish brown may occur.

NETHERDALE (Nt)

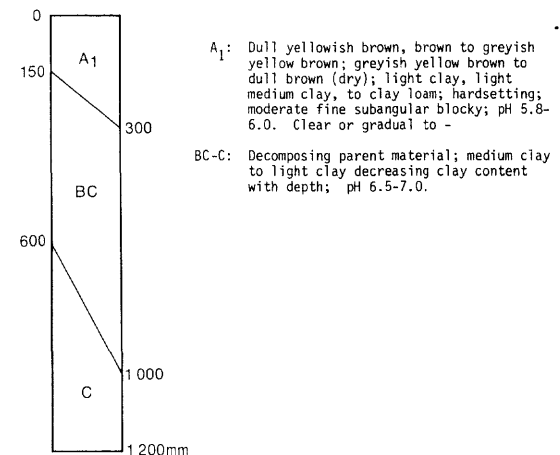
Concept: A grey-brown, structured, fine to medium textured A horizon directly overlying neutral decomposing granodiorite to syenite of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Principal Profile Form: Uf 6; Um 5.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group.

Parent Material: Granodiorite of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Landform: Undulating to rolling rises; modal slopes 6-10% ranging to 20%.



Comments: Intergrade profiles to Finch Hatton or Uruba soils are due to surface texture and degree of B horizon development.

URUBA (Ub)

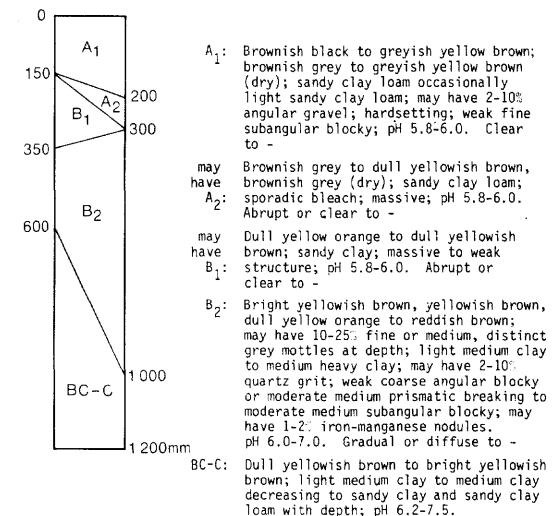
Concept: A neutral yellow-brown duplex soil developed on granodiorite of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 2.12, 2.52, 2.11, 3.32; Dr 2.11.

Great Soil Group: Non-calcic brown to red-yellow podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Granodiorite of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Landform: Undulating to rolling rises; modal slopes 4-8% ranging from 2-15%.



Comments: B horizon structure and sporadic bleach development may vary over short distances.

Appendix IV (Continued)

FARLEIGH (F1)

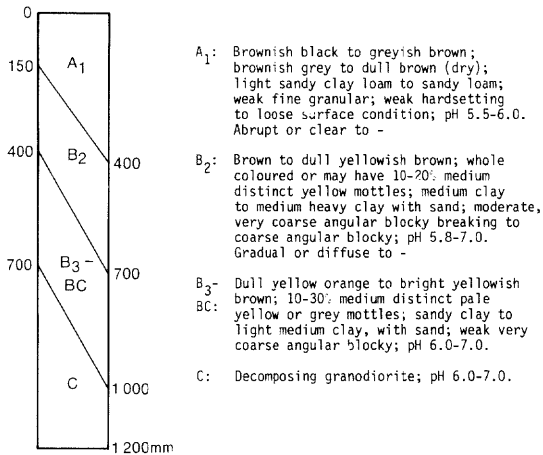
Concept: A shallow neutral yellow brown duplex soil with a dark A horizon developed on Wundaru granodiorite.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 2.12, 2.11, 5.12; Db 2.12.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group, affinities with non-calcic brown soil.

Parent Material: Wundaru granodiorite.

Landform: Undulating rises; modal slopes 4% ranging to 10%.



KOWARI (Kw)

Concept: An acid, black stony loam developed on alluvial-colluvial material from basic dyke rocks of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

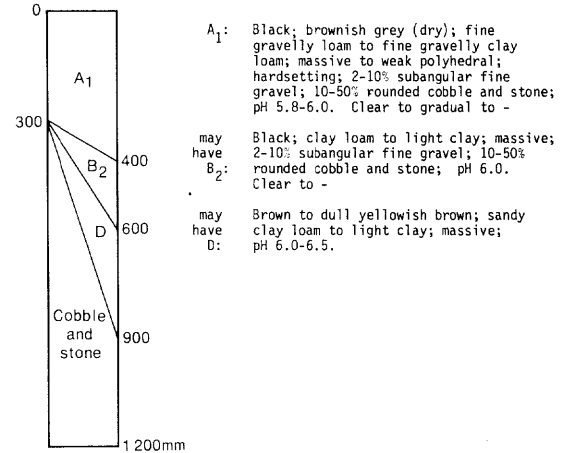
Principal Profile Form: Um 1.2; Um 5.5; Gn 2.01.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material from basic dyke rocks of Urannah Igneous Complex.

Landform: Gently undulating to undulating rises; modal slopes 3-6% ranging to 10%.

Surface Features: 10-50% rounded cobble and stone from basic dykes.



FINCH HATTON, alluvial-colluvial variant (Fn 1)

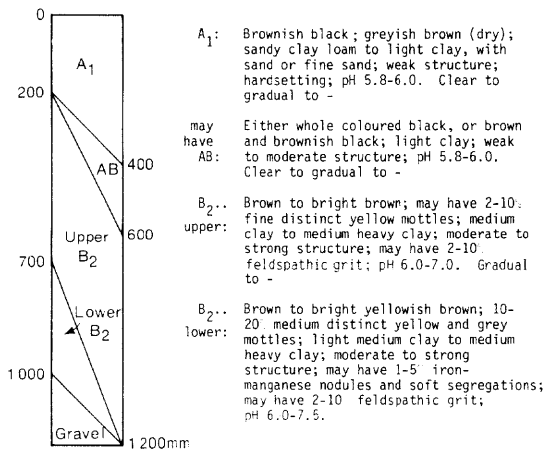
Concept: A neutral brown-yellow non-cracking clay to gradational soil developed on alluvial-colluvial material from intermediate intrusives (granodiorite) mainly of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Principal Profile Form: Uf 6.34; Gn 3.51, 3.72.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material from intermediate intrusives of Urannah Igneous Complex and Mt Jukes Syenite Complex.

Landform: Gently undulating to undulating rises; modal slopes 2-4% but ranging from 1-8%.



URUBA, alluvial-colluvial variant (Ub 1)

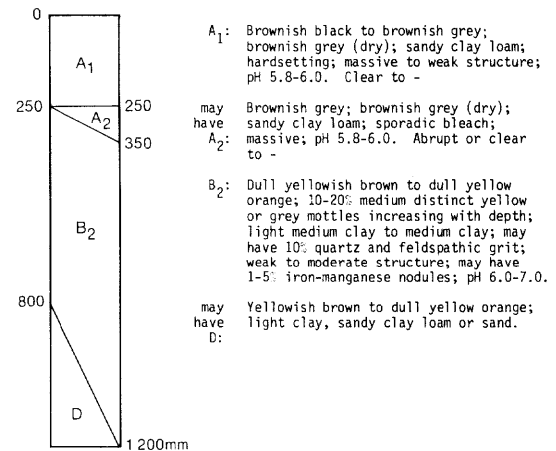
Concept: A neutral, mottled yellow duplex soil developed on alluvial-colluvial material from intermediate intrusives of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.32, 3.12, 3.51.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group to yellow podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material from intermediate intrusives (granodiorite) of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Landform: Undulating plains to undulating rises; modal slopes 2-4%.



Appendix IV (Continued)

WAGOORA (Wg)

Concept: A neutral, brown-yellow gradational soil to non-cracking clay developed on intermediate volcanics mainly of the Carmila Beds, Lizzie Creek Volcanics and Calen Coal Measures.

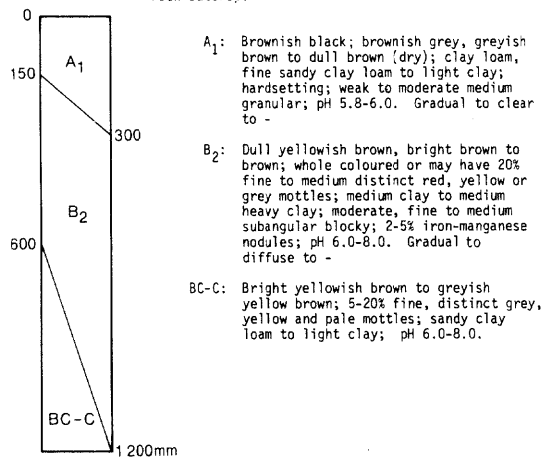
Principal Profile Form: Gn 3.22, 3.51, 3.72; Uf 6.34; Uf 6.4.

Great Soil Group: Prairie soil.

Parent Material: Intermediate volcanics (dykes and sills) of the Carmila Beds, Lizzie Creek Volcanics and Calen Coal Measures.

Landform: Undulating rises; modal slopes 3-6% ranging 2-10%.

Surface Features: May have 10-20% volcanic cobble and stone and some rock outcrop.

WAGOORA, basic parent material variant (Wg 1)

Concept: A neutral brown-red non-cracking clay to gradational soil developed on basic to intermediate volcanics of the Campwyn Beds.

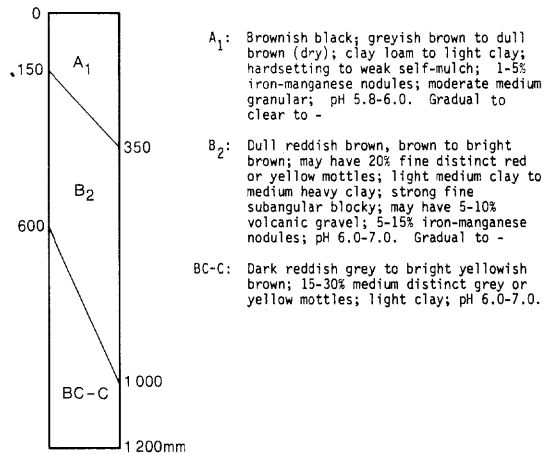
Principal Profile Form: Gn 3.51, 3.72, 3.11; Uf 6.31.

Great Soil Group: Prairie soil.

Parent Material: Basic to intermediate volcanics of the Campwyn Beds.

Landform: Undulating plains to undulating rises modal slopes 2-4% ranging 1-10%.

Surface Features: May have 10-20% rounded volcanic cobble and some rock outcrop.

NABILLA (Na)

Concept: A neutral, brown gradational soil with abundant iron-manganese nodules developed on altered intermediate volcanics of the Carmila Beds.

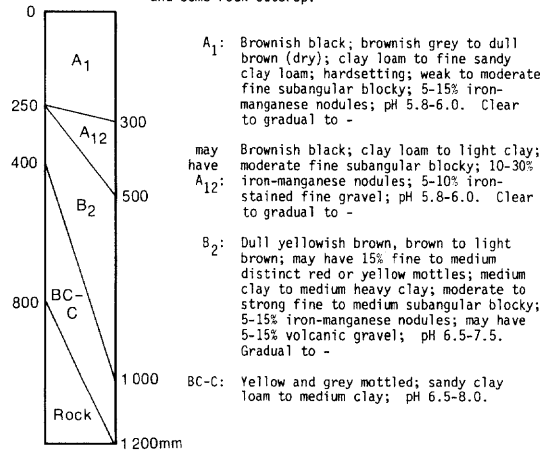
Principal Profile Form: Gn 3.52, 3.72, 3.92; Dy 3.12.

Great Soil Group: Prairie soil.

Parent Material: Altered intermediate volcanics of Carmila Beds.

Landform: Undulating rises; modal slopes 2-6% ranging to 8-10%.

Surface Features: May have 5-15% rounded volcanic gravel and cobble and some rock outcrop.



Comments: A shallow Gn 3.41 occurs with the Nabilla soils. An associated profile on minor colluvium has a sporadically bleached A₂ horizon with over 50% iron-manganese nodules.

ROYSTON (Ro)

Concept: A neutral, dark, self-mulching non-cracking clay developed on intermediate volcanics of the Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

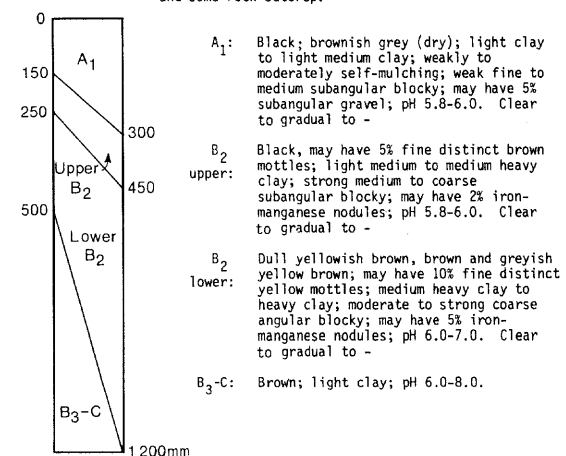
Principal Profile Form: Uf 6.32.

Great Soil Group: Prairie soil.

Parent Material: Intermediate volcanics (andesite) of the Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Landform: Undulating rises; modal slopes 4-8% ranging from 2-12%.

Surface Features: May have 5-10% rounded intermediate volcanic cobble and some rock outcrop.



Comments: Occasionally the black A₁ horizon overlies the brownish lower B₂ horizon.

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MARTIN (Mr)

Concept: A neutral, cobbly, yellow-brown duplex to gradational soil developed on intermediate volcanics of the Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

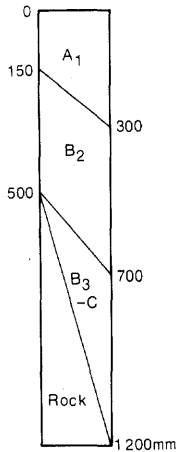
Principal Profile Form: Gn 3.51, 3.72; Dy 2.11, 3.12.

Great Soil Group: Minimal prairie soil.

Parent Material: Intermediate medium grained volcanics of Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Landform: Undulating rises; modal slopes 4-8% ranging to 15%.

Surface Features: May have 5-25% subangular volcanic cobble and gravel.



- A₁: Brownish black to greyish yellow brown; greyish brown to greyish yellow brown (dry); fine sandy clay loam and clay loam, occasionally clay loam, sandy; weak to moderate fine subangular blocky; hardsetting; may have 1-10% subangular gravel and cobble; pH 5.8-6.0. Clear to gradual to -
- B₂: Dull yellowish brown to greyish yellow brown; whole coloured or may have 10-20% fine distinct yellow or brown mottles; medium clay; strong coarse angular blocky; may have 5% iron-manganese nodules; pH 6.0-7.0. Gradual to diffuse to -
- B₃-C: Light clay to sandy clay loam; massive to weak structure; pH 6.0-8.0; lime nodules may occur deep in the C horizon.

KUNGURRI (Kn)

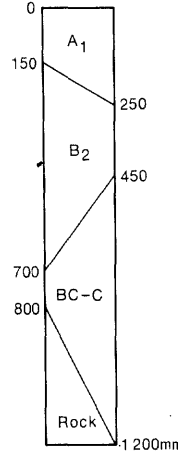
Concept: An acid, reddish brown gradational soil to non-cracking clay developed on intermediate volcanics of the Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Principal Profile Form: Gn 3.21, 3.51, 3.71; Uf 6.31.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group.

Parent Material: Intermediate to basic volcanics (perhaps altered) of Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Landform: Undulating rises; modal slopes 4-8%



- A₁: Brown to dull reddish brown; dull brown (dry); clay loam to light clay; moderate medium granular; hardsetting to weak self-mulch; pH 5.8-6.0. Clear to gradual to -
- B₂: Yellowish brown, brown to reddish brown; may have 20% fine distinct red, yellow or grey mottles; light medium clay to medium heavy clay; strong fine subangular blocky; may have 1-2% iron-manganese nodules; pH 5.5-6.0. Gradual to diffuse to -
- BC-C: Bright yellowish brown and light grey; may have 25% coarse prominent red to purple mottles; light clay; strong very fine subangular blocky; pH 5.0-5.5.

GLENELLA (G)

Concept: A neutral, brown gradational soil to non-cracking clay developed on intermediate Cretaceous dyke rocks.

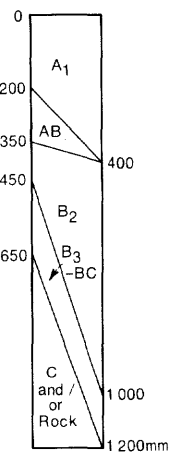
Principal Profile Form: Gn 3.21, 3.22, 3.71, 3.72; Uf 6.31, 6.34; Db 1.12.

Great Soil Group: Prairie soil.

Parent Material: Cretaceous intermediate to basic dyke rocks (microdiorite).

Landform: Undulating rises and undulating plains; modal slopes 3-8% ranging to 12%.

Surface Features: 2-25% subangular to rounded cobble and stone on surface and some rock bars.



- A₁: Brownish black to black; brownish grey to greyish yellow brown (dry); clay loam, fine sandy clay loam to light clay; moderate very fine subangular blocky; hardsetting; may have 15% subangular gravel and cobble; pH 5.8-6.0. Gradual to -
- AB: Brownish black to black; light clay to medium clay; moderate medium angular blocky breaking to moderate very fine subangular blocky; may have 15% subangular gravel; may have 10% iron-manganese nodules; pH 5.8-6.0. Clear to gradual to -
- B₂: Brown to bright brown and dull yellowish brown; 5-15% fine distinct yellow red or grey mottles; light medium clay to medium heavy clay; moderate to strong coarse angular blocky breaking to strong fine subangular blocky; may have 10% subangular gravel; may have 10% iron-manganese nodules; pH 5.8-7.0. Clear to gradual to -
- B₃-BC: Dull to bright yellowish brown or dark greyish yellow to grey; 10-30% fine to medium distinct grey or yellow mottles; light clay to medium clay; weak to moderate coarse subangular blocky; may have 5% iron-manganese nodules; pH 6.0-7.0. Clear to gradual to -
- C: Sandy clay loam to light clay; pH 6.0-7.0.

Comments: The Glenella soil intergrades with the Habana soil.

HABANA (Hb)

Concept: An acid, cobbly yellow-brown gradational soil developed on intermediate to acid volcanics and tuffs of Carmila Beds and possibly Campwyn Beds.

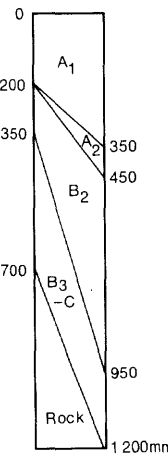
Principal Profile Form: Gn 3.71, 3.72; Uf 6.34; Dy 3.11, 3.31.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group.

Parent Material: Intermediate to acid volcanics and tuffs of Carmila Beds and possibly Campwyn Beds.

Landform: Undulating rises and rolling rises; modal slopes 3-8% but ranging to 18%.

Surface Features: 10-25% angular volcanic and tuffaceous gravel and cobble.



- A₁: Brownish black to greyish brown; greyish yellow brown (dry); sandy clay loam to light clay with sand; weak to moderate medium granular; hardsetting; 10-25% angular to subangular gravel and cobble; pH 5.8-6.0. Clear to gradual to -
- A₂: Similar to A₁, but with sporadic bleach. Clear to gradual to -
- B₂: Dull yellowish brown to bright brown; may have 5-20% fine to medium distinct yellow brown or red mottles; light medium clay to medium clay; moderate medium to coarse subangular blocky breaking to moderate fine subangular blocky; 1-5% iron-manganese nodules; pH 5.8-7.0. Gradual to diffuse to -
- B₃-C: Dull to bright yellowish brown; 10-40% medium distinct brown yellow and grey mottles; sandy clay loam to sandy clay; massive to weak structure; may have 2% iron-manganese nodules; pH 6.0-7.0.

Comments: The Habana soil intergrades with the Glenella soil.

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SILENT GROVE (Sg)

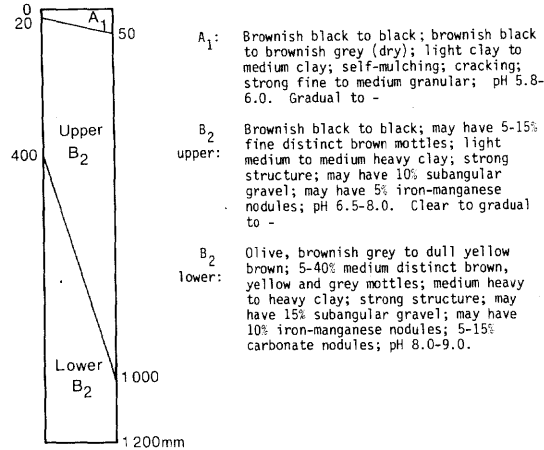
Concept: An alkaline, black, self-mulching, cracking clay developed on alluvial-colluvial material from basic to intermediate volcanics of Carmila Beds and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Principal Profile Form: Ug 5.15, 5.16.

Great Soil Group: Black earth.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material from basic to intermediate volcanics of Carmila Beds and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Landform: Undulating plains to undulating rises; modal slopes 2-6%.



- A₁: Brownish black to black; brownish black to brownish grey (dry); light clay to medium clay; self-mulching; cracking; strong fine to medium granular; pH 5.8-6.0. Gradual to -
- B₂ upper: Brownish black to black; may have 5-15% fine distinct brown mottles; light medium to medium heavy clay; strong structure; may have 10% subangular gravel; may have 5% iron-manganese nodules; pH 6.5-8.0. Clear to gradual to -
- B₂ lower: Olive, brownish grey to dull yellow brown; 5-40% medium distinct brown, yellow and grey mottles; medium heavy to heavy clay; strong structure; may have 15% subangular gravel; may have 10% iron-manganese nodules; 5-15% carbonate nodules; pH 8.0-9.0.

Comments: In some profiles in upper slope positions decomposing rock may be encountered; Ug 5.13. These profiles are most likely intergrades with the Wagoora or Royston soils.

ETOWRIE, neutral duplex variant (Et 1)

Concept: A neutral, bleached yellow duplex soil developed on alluvial-colluvial material from Campwyn Beds.

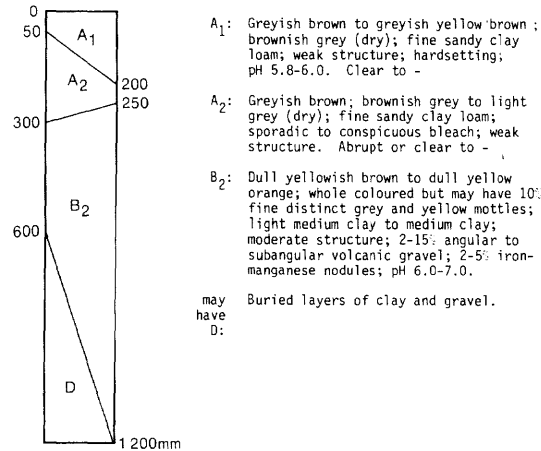
Principal Profile Form: Dy 2.32, 2.42.

Great Soil Group: Soloth to yellow podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material from intermediate volcanics of Campwyn Beds.

Landform: Alluvial-colluvial flats to gently undulating plains; modal slopes 1-3%.

Surface Features: May have 5% angular to subangular volcanic gravel and cobble.



- A₁: Greyish brown to greyish yellow brown; brownish grey (dry); fine sandy clay loam; weak structure; hardsetting; pH 5.8-6.0. Clear to -
 - A₂: Greyish brown; brownish grey to light grey (dry); fine sandy clay loam; sporadic to conspicuous bleach; weak structure. Abrupt or clear to -
 - B₂: Dull yellowish brown to dull yellow orange; whole coloured but may have 10% fine distinct grey and yellow mottles; light medium clay to medium clay; moderate structure; 2-15% angular to subangular volcanic gravel; 2-5% iron-manganese nodules; pH 6.0-7.0.
- may have D: Buried layers of clay and gravel.

ETOWRIE (Et)

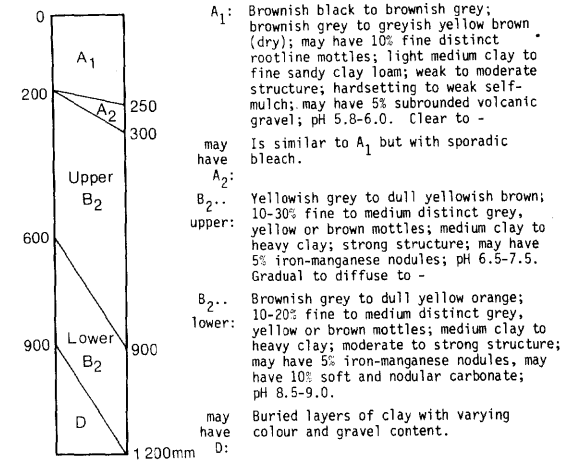
Concept: An alkaline, grey non-cracking clay to duplex soil developed on alluvial-colluvial material from intermediate to basic volcanics of Carmila Beds, Cretaceous dykes and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Principal Profile Form: Uf 6.41; Dy 3.33.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group and solodic - solodized solonetz soil.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material from intermediate to basic volcanics of Carmila Beds and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Landform: Alluvial-colluvial flats and undulating plains; modal slopes 2-4% ranging from 1-6%.



- A₁: Brownish black to brownish grey; brownish grey to greyish yellow brown (dry); may have 10% fine distinct rootline mottles; light medium clay to fine sandy clay loam; weak to moderate structure; hardsetting to weak self-mulch; may have 5% subrounded volcanic gravel; pH 5.8-6.0. Clear to -
- may have A₂: Is similar to A₁ but with sporadic bleach.
- B₂ upper: Yellowish grey to dull yellowish brown; 10-30% fine to medium distinct grey, yellow or brown mottles; medium clay to heavy clay; strong structure; may have 5% iron-manganese nodules; pH 6.5-7.5. Gradual to diffuse to -
- B₂ lower: Brownish grey to dull yellow orange; 10-20% fine to medium distinct grey, yellow or brown mottles; medium clay to heavy clay; moderate to strong structure; may have 5% iron-manganese nodules, may have 10% soft and nodular carbonate; pH 8.5-9.0.
- may have D: Buried layers of clay with varying colour and gravel content.

WHIPTAIL (Wh)

Concept: An acid, bleached, mottled, yellow duplex soil developed on acid to intermediate volcanics of the Carmila Beds and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

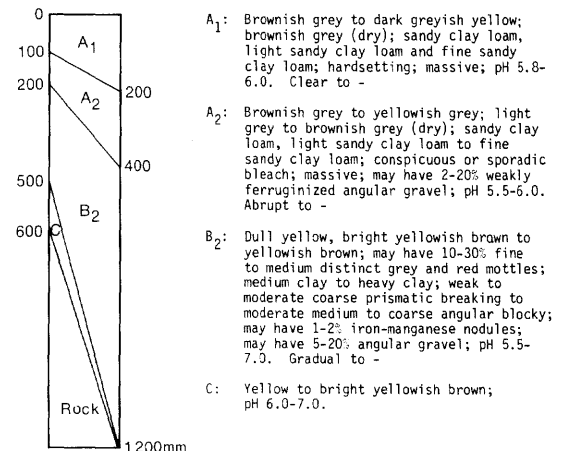
Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.41, 3.42, 2.41, 3.31.

Great Soil Group: Soloth.

Parent Material: Acid to intermediate volcanics of Lizzie Creek Volcanics and Carmila Beds.

Landform: Undulating rises; modal slopes 4-6% ranging 2-10%.

Surface Features: 2-30% acid to intermediate angular volcanic gravel and cobble and some rock bars.



- A₁: Brownish grey to dark greyish yellow; brownish grey (dry); sandy clay loam, light sandy clay loam and fine sandy clay loam; hardsetting; massive; pH 5.8-6.0. Clear to -
- A₂: Brownish grey to yellowish grey; light grey to brownish grey (dry); sandy clay loam, light sandy clay loam to fine sandy clay loam; conspicuous or sporadic bleach; massive; may have 2-20% weakly ferruginized angular gravel; pH 5.5-6.0. Abrupt to -
- B₂: Dull yellow, bright yellowish brown to yellowish brown; may have 10-30% fine to medium distinct grey and red mottles; medium clay to heavy clay; weak to moderate coarse prismatic breaking to moderate medium to coarse angular blocky; may have 1-2% iron-manganese nodules; may have 5-20% angular gravel; pH 5.5-7.3. Gradual to -
- C: Yellow to bright yellowish brown; pH 6.0-7.0.

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WOLLINGFORD (Wo)

Concept: An alkaline, bleached, mottled grey-yellow duplex soil developed on acid to intermediate volcanics of the Carmila Beds, Lizzie Creek Volcanics and associated minor colluvium.

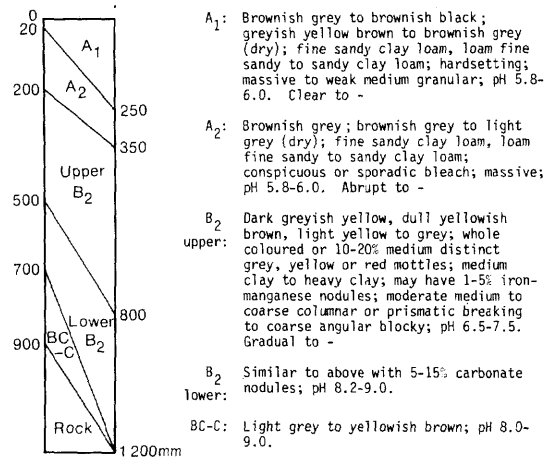
Principal Profile Form: Dy 2.43, 3.43, 2.33, 3.33, 3.42; Db 1.33.

Great Soil Group: Solodic - solodized solonetz soil.

Parent Material: Acid to intermediate volcanics and associated minor colluvium of Carmila Beds and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Landform: Undulating rises; modal slopes 4-6% ranging from 2-10%.

Surface Features: May have angular volcanic gravel and cobble and some rock bars.



WOLLINGFORD, intrusive parent material variant (Wo 1)

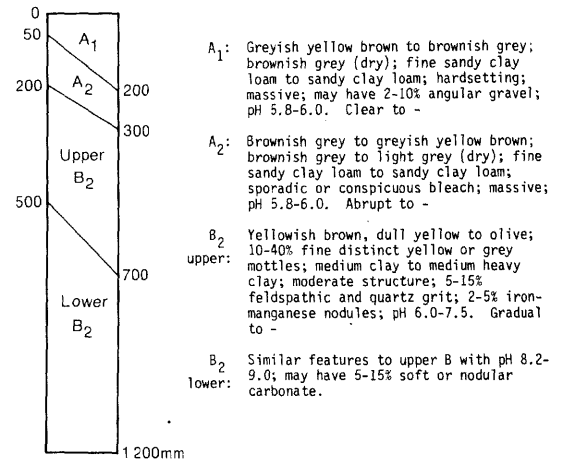
Concept: An alkaline, bleached, mottled yellow-olive duplex soil developed on acid to intermediate dyke material of the Urannah Igneous Complex.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.33, 3.43, 2.33, 2.43.

Great Soil Group: Solodic - solodized solonetz soil.

Parent Material: Acid to intermediate dyke materials of Urannah Igneous Complex.

Landform: Undulating plains to undulating rises; modal slopes 2-4%.



WOLLINGFORD, yellow B horizon variant (Wo 2)

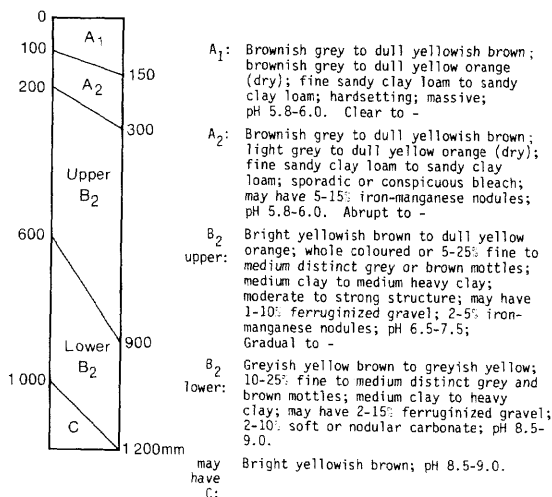
Concept: An alkaline, bleached yellow duplex soil developed on acid to intermediate tuffs and volcanics of the Campwyn Beds.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 2.43, 2.33, 3.43, 3.33.

Great Soil Group: Solodic - solodized solonetz soil.

Parent Material: Acid to intermediate tuffs and volcanics and associated minor colluvium from Campwyn Beds.

Landform: Gently undulating plains; modal slopes 1-3%.



MENTMORE (Me)

Concept: An acid, bleached gravelly, mottled, yellow duplex soil developed on acid tuffs of Campwyn Beds.

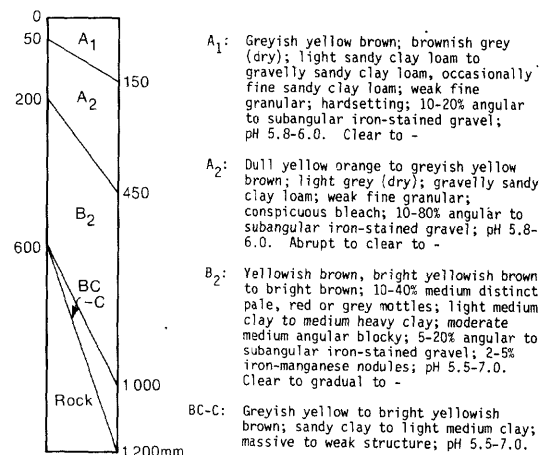
Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.41, 3.42, 2.41.

Great Soil Group: Soloth.

Parent Material: Acid tuffs of Campwyn Beds and possibly Carmila Beds.

Landform: Undulating rises; modal slopes 2-6%.

Surface Features: 5-30% angular to subangular gravel and cobble.



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MENTMORE, sandy loam variant (Me 1)

Concept: An acid, bleached yellow duplex soil with a shallow sandy loam A horizon and developed on acid tuffs of the Campwyn Beds.

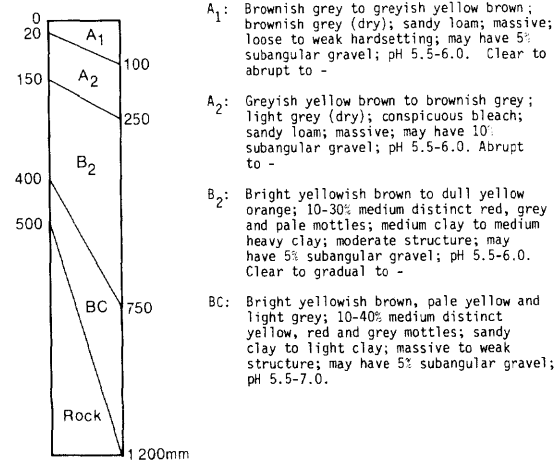
Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.41, 5.41.

Great Soil Group: Soloth.

Parent Material: Acid tuffs of Campwyn Beds.

Landform: Undulating rises and plains; modal slopes 2-4° but ranging to 6°.

Surface Features: May have 5-10% subangular cobble and gravel.



BELMUNDA (B1)

Concept: An acid, brown duplex soil with abundant iron-manganese nodules developed on epidotized intermediate volcanics of Campwyn Beds and associated minor colluvium.

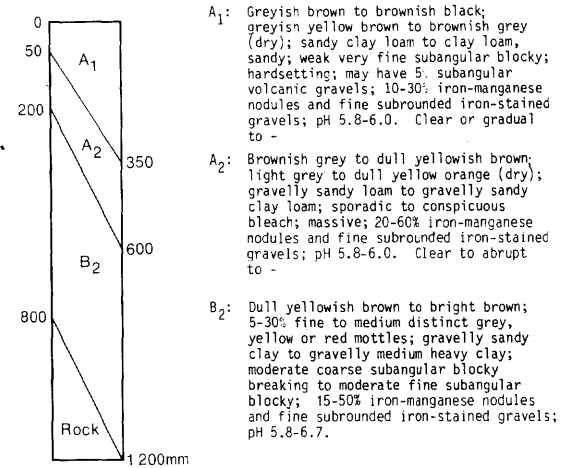
Principal Profile Form: Db 1.31, 2.32; Dy 2.32, 3.41.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group.

Parent Material: Epidotized intermediate volcanics of Campwyn Beds and associated minor colluvium.

Landform: Undulating rises and plains; modal slopes 2-6°.

Surface Features: May have 10% subangular volcanic cobble and stone and some rock bars.



Comments: A 150 - 200 mm thick A₂ or B₁ horizon may occur with dull yellow orange to dull yellowish brown gravelly sandy clay loam to gravelly sandy clay. Profiles developed on minor colluvium have the deeper A horizons and stronger bleach development.

PINDI (Pi)

Concept: An acid, bleached, mottled, yellow duplex soil with abundant iron-stained gravel and developed on sedimentary rocks of the Carmila Beds and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

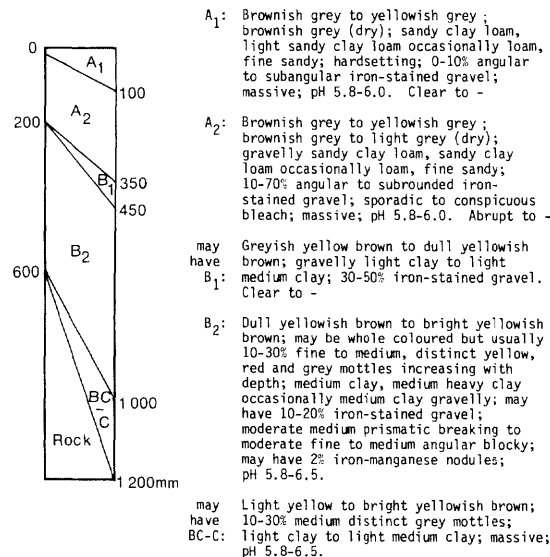
Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.41, 3.31, 3.32, 2.31.

Great Soil Group: Soloth.

Parent Material: Fine grained sedimentary rocks of Carmila Beds and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Landform: Undulating rises; modal slopes 3-6° ranging from 2-8°.

Surface Features: May have 5-10% angular gravel and some rock bars.



JUMPER (Jm)

Concept: An alkaline, bleached, mottled, yellow-olive duplex soil with abundant iron-stained gravel developed on sedimentary rocks of the Carmila Beds and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

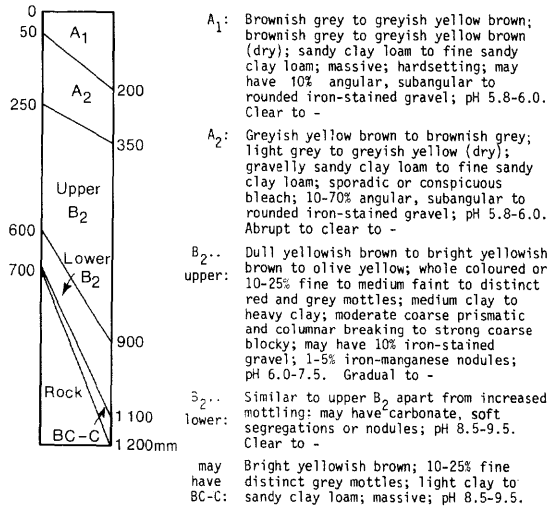
Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.33, 3.43, 2.33, 2.43.

Great Soil Group: Solodic - solodized solonetz soil.

Parent Material: Fine grained sedimentary rocks of Carmila Beds and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Landform: Undulating rises; modal slopes 3-6°.

Surface Features: 1-10% angular to subangular cobble (of fine grained sediments).



Comments: Some profiles may have a 50 - 100 mm thick A₂-B₁ horizon with dull yellowish brown; gravelly heavy sandy clay loam to gravelly light clay with 10-50% iron-stained gravel.

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PALMYRA (Pa)

Concept: An acid, bleached, gravelly, shallow, mottled, pale yellow duplex soil developed on sedimentary rocks of the Carmila Beds.

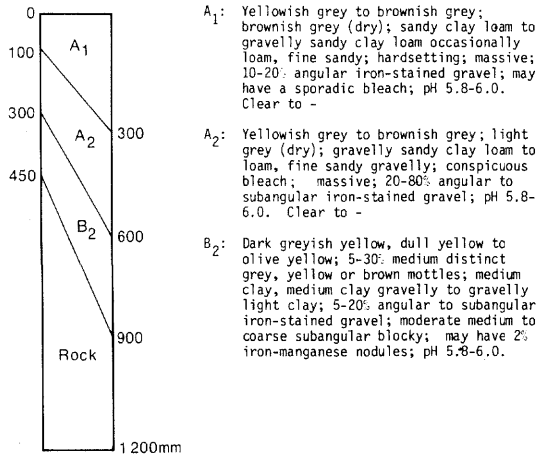
Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.41, 3.42.

Great Soil Group: Soloth.

Parent Material: Fine grained sedimentary rocks of Carmila Beds.

Landform: Undulating plains to undulating rises; modal slopes 2-4% ranging to 10%.

Surface Features: 5-20 angular gravel with rock bars.



KUTTABUL (Ku)

Concept: An acid, bleached, yellow-red duplex soil developed on quartzose sandstone of the Calen Coal Measures and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

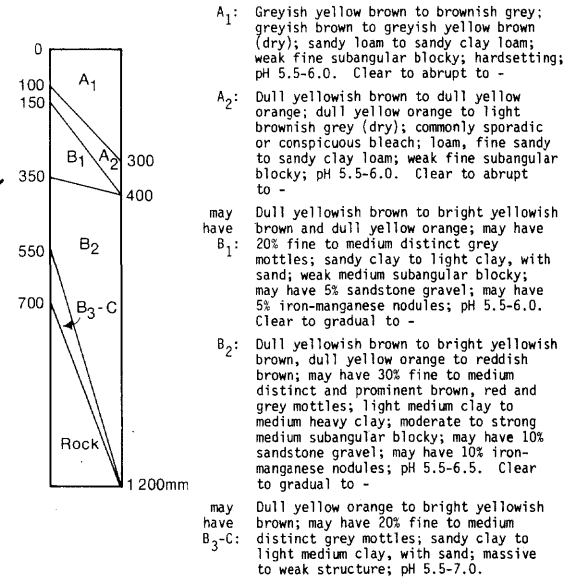
Principal Profile Form: Dy 2.21, 2.31, 2.41, 3.31, 3.41, 2.32.

Great Soil Group: Yellow-red podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Quartzose sandstone of Calen Coal Measures and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Landform: Undulating rises and plains; modal slopes 3-10%.

Surface Features: May have 5% sandstone cobble and stone.



Comments: The profiles with reddish brown B₂ horizons tend to occur on the steeper slopes.

MULEI (M1)

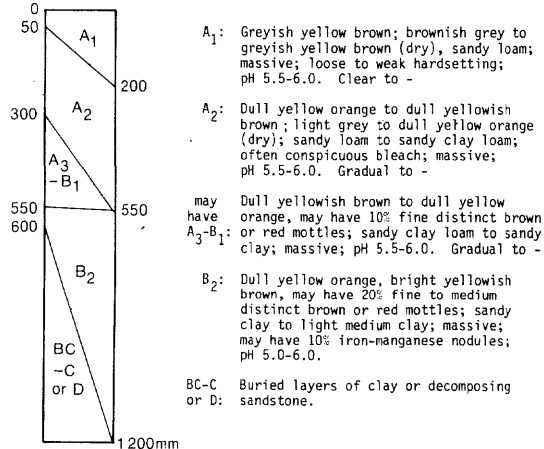
Concept: An acid, yellow, massive gradational soil developed on quartzose sandstone of the Calen Coal Measures, Lizzie Creek Volcanics and associated colluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Gn 2.34, 2.74, 2.94, 2.24.

Great Soil Group: Yellow earth and bleached yellow earth.

Parent Material: Quartzose sandstone and associated alluvial-colluvial material from Calen Coal Measures and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Landform: Undulating plains to undulating rises; modal slopes 2-4%.



OSSA (Os)

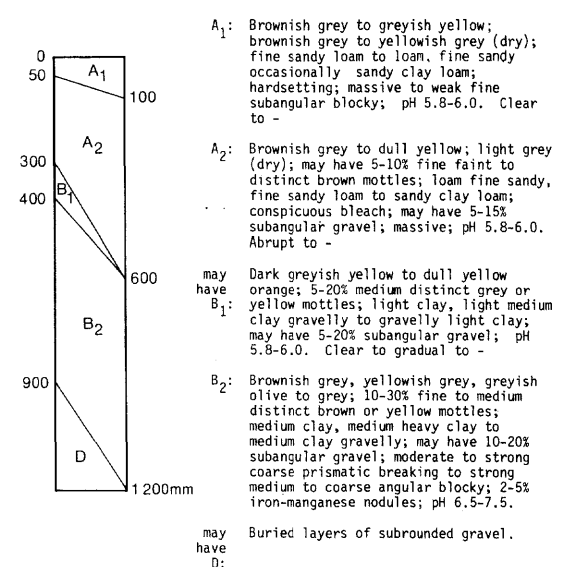
Concept: A neutral, bleached, mottled grey duplex soil developed on alluvial-colluvial material from Carmila Beds and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.42, 2.42, 3.41; Dg 2.42.

Great Soil Group: Soloth.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material from Carmila Beds and Lizzie Creek Volcanics.

Landform: Gently undulating to undulating plains; modal slopes 1-3%.



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OSSA, cobbly variant (Os 1)

Concept: An acid, bleached, mottled, brown cobbly duplex soil developed on alluvial-colluvial material from the Carmila Beds.

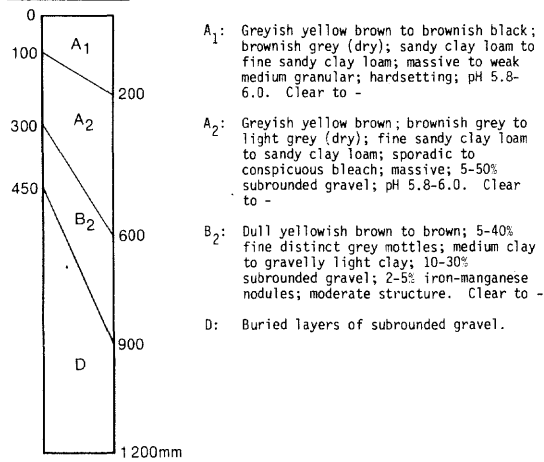
Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.31, 3.42; Db 1.31.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material from Carmila Beds.

Landform: Gently undulating to undulating plains; modal slopes 1-4%.

Surface Features: 15-50% subrounded cobble and stone.



SEAFORTH (Se)

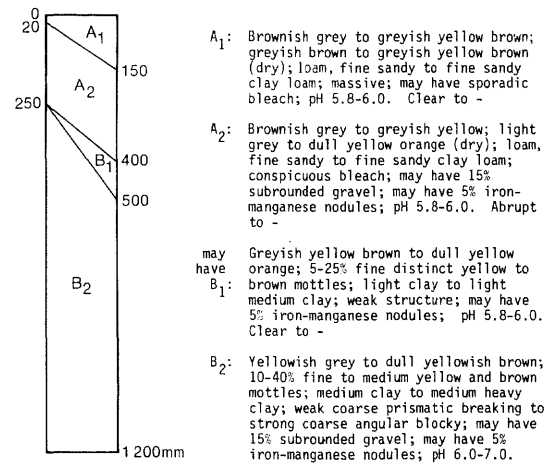
Concept: A neutral, bleached, mottled yellow-grey duplex soil developed on alluvial-colluvial material from Campwyn Beds.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.41, 3.42.

Great Soil Group: Soloth.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material (probably mainly from acid to intermediate volcanics) from Campwyn Beds.

Landform: Gently undulating plains; modal slopes 0-2%.



Comments: These soils occasionally overlie gravel.

SEAFORTH, dark B horizon variant (Se 1)

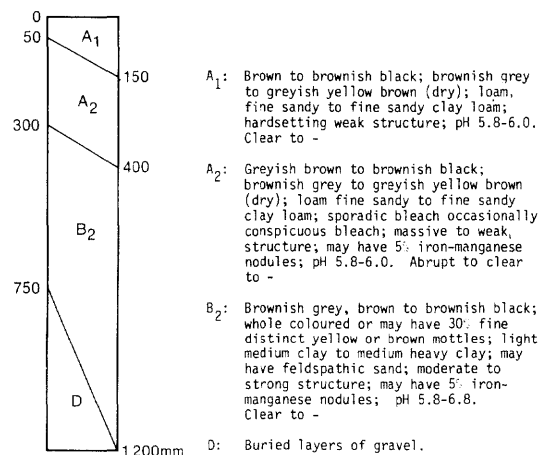
Concept: An acid, bleached, dark duplex soil developed on alluvial-colluvial material from Campwyn Beds.

Principal Profile Form: Dd 1.31, 2.31; Db 2.32, 1.41.

Great Soil Group: Soloth.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material from Campwyn Beds.

Landform: Alluvial-colluvial flats; modal slopes 0-2%.



SEAFORTH, yellow B horizon variant (Se 2)

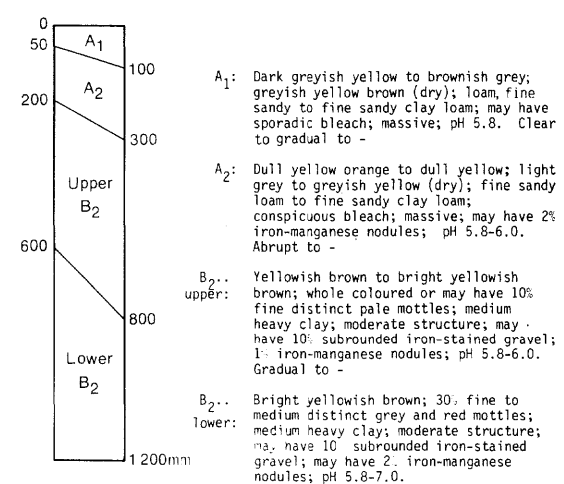
Concept: An acid, bleached yellow duplex soil developed on local alluvium from Campwyn Beds.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.41, 2.42.

Great Soil Group: Soloth.

Parent Material: Local alluvium from Campwyn Beds.

Landform: Alluvial flats; modal slopes 0-2%.



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BALBERRA (Bb)

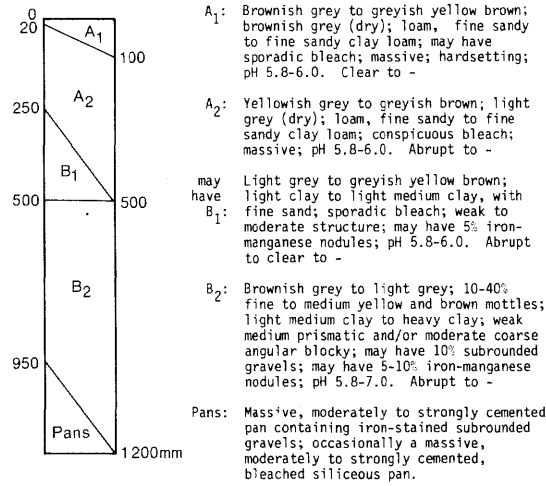
Concept: An acid to neutral, bleached mottled grey duplex soil overlying gravelly pans and developed on alluvial-colluvial material from Carmila Beds.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.41, 3.42, 3.81; Dg 2.41.

Great Soil Group: Soloth.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material (probably from sediments and acid to intermediate volcanics) from Carmila Beds.

Landform: Level to gently undulating plains; modal slopes 0-1%.



Comments: The sesquioxide pan may occur within 500 mm of the soil surface. In these areas the A₁ and A₂ horizons have sandy clay loam texture and overlie B₁ horizons with sandy clay to light medium clay, with sand; weak to moderate structure; and 15-30% iron-stained, subrounded gravels.

KUTTABUL, alluvial-colluvial variant (Ku1)

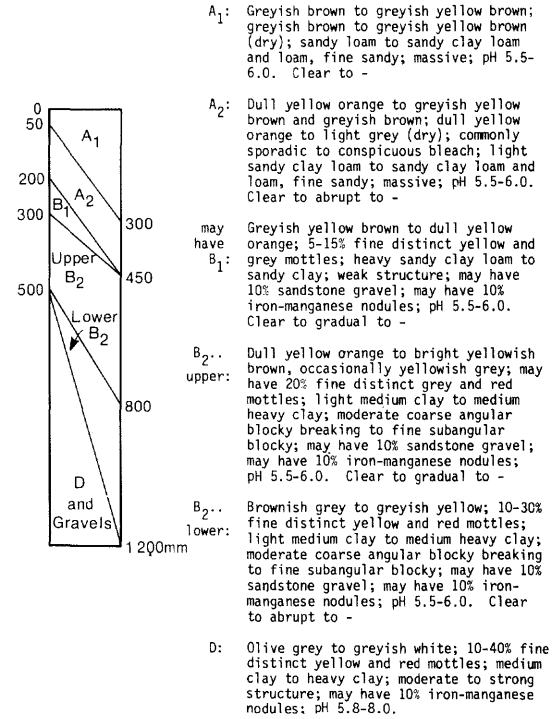
Concept: An acid, bleached yellow duplex soil developed on alluvial-colluvial material from quartzose sandstone in the Calen Coal Measures.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 2.31, 2.41, 2.21, 3.41, 3.42.

Great Soil Group: Yellow podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Alluvial-colluvial material from quartzose sandstone in the Calen Coal Measures.

Landform: Gently undulating plains; modal slopes 1-3%.



D: Olive grey to greyish white; 10-40% fine distinct yellow and red mottles; medium clay to heavy clay; moderate to strong structure; may have 10% iron-manganese nodules; pH 5.8-8.0.

CALEN (C1)

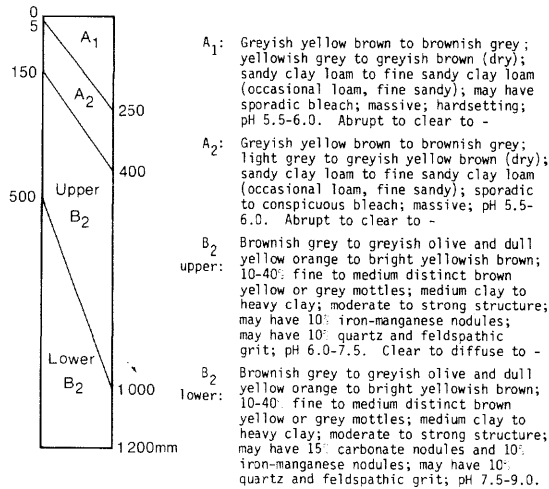
Concept: A neutral to alkaline, bleached mottled grey-yellow duplex soil developed on Quaternary alluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.32, 3.33, 3.42, 3.43; Dg 2.43.

Great Soil Group: Solodic - solodized solonetz soil.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Alluvial plains and alluvial flats; modal slopes 0-1%.



Comments: Occasionally profiles with whole coloured upper B₂ horizons occur. D horizons with contrasting colours and/of an increase in feldspathic and quartz sand occur. Those profiles with neutral reaction trend at 1 200 mm would be expected to become alkaline at depth.

NARPI (Nr)

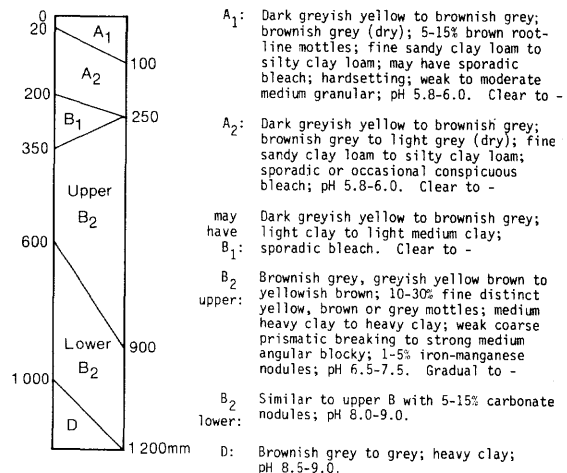
Concept: An alkaline, bleached, mottled grey duplex soil overlying a grey clay D horizon and developed on Quaternary alluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.33, 3.32, 3.43; Gn 3.03.

Great Soil Group: Solodic.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Alluvial plains; modal slopes 0-1% and extensive stable gullies.



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ETON (Eo)

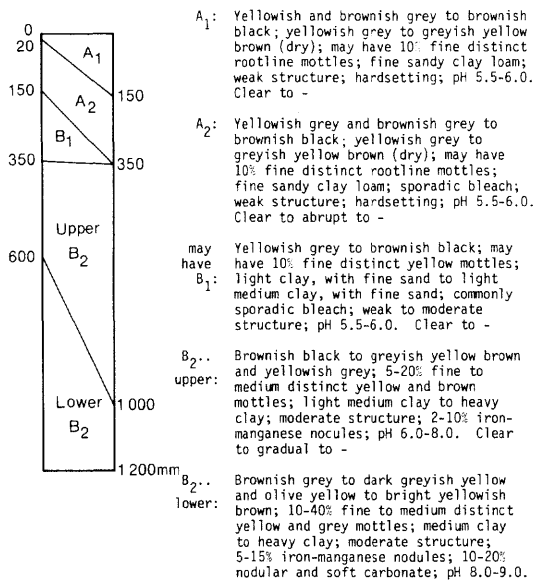
Concept: An alkaline, bleached, mottled dark to grey duplex soil developed on Quaternary alluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Od 2.33, 1.33; Dy 3.33; Gn 3.03.

Great Soil Group: Solodic - solodized solonetz soil.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Alluvial plains and flats; slopes 0-1%.



SUNNYSIDE (Su)

Concept: An alkaline, bleached, mottled, silty, grey-olive duplex soil developed on Quaternary alluvium.

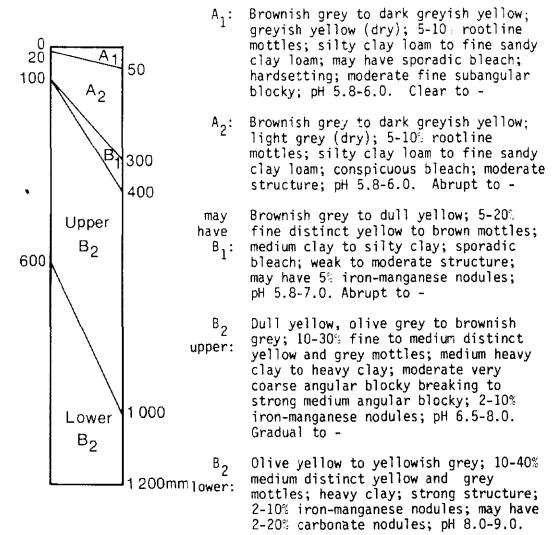
Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.43, 3.42, 3.32, 3.33; Gn 3.06.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group (Affinities with solodic - solodized solonetz soil).

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Alluvial plain; modal slopes 0-1%.

Surface Features: Debil debil microrelief in uncultivated areas.



Comments: The pH in the lower B horizon is occasionally only pH 7.0 by 1200mm.

SANDIFORD (Sa)

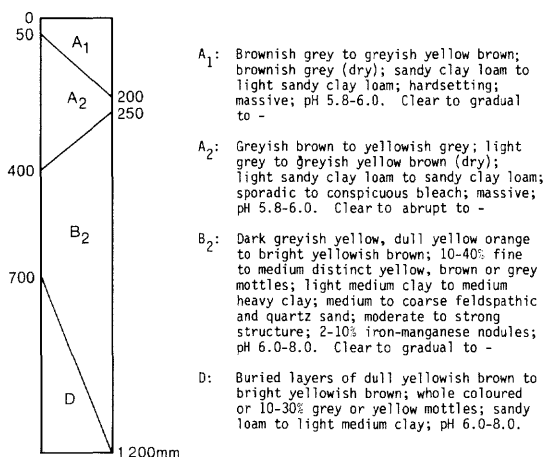
Concept: An acid to neutral, bleached, mottled, yellow duplex soil overlying sandy D horizons and developed in Quaternary alluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.41, 3.42, 3.31, 3.32; Og 2.41.

Great Soil Group: Yellow podzolic soil - soloth.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Alluvial plains; modal slopes 0-1%.



Comments: Some profiles have sandy loam A horizons.

MARIAN (Ma)

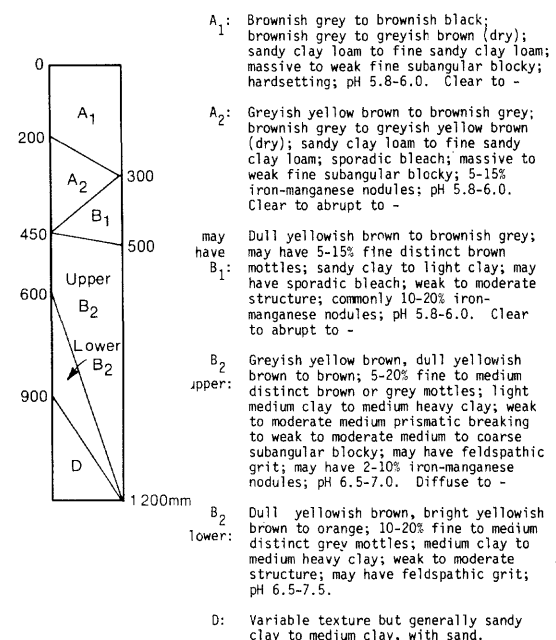
Concept: A neutral, bleached, mottled, brown duplex soil developed on Quaternary alluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.32, 2.32; Db 2.32; Dy 3.12; Db 2.12.

Great Soil Group: No suitable group.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Alluvial plains and some levees; modal slopes 0-1%.



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MARIAN, yellow B horizon variant (Ma 1)

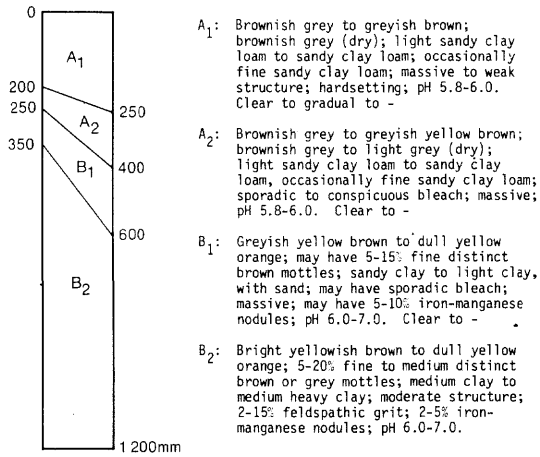
Concept: An acid to neutral, bleached, yellow duplex soil developed on Quaternary alluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.32, 3.42, 2.32.

Great Soil Group: Yellow podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Alluvial plains; modal slopes 0-1%.

MIRANI (Mi)

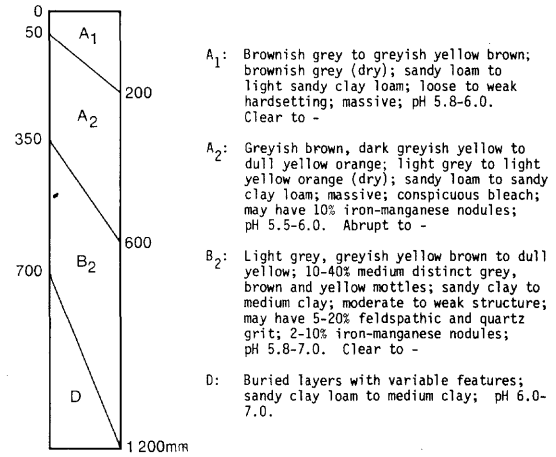
Concept: An acid to neutral, bleached, mottled grey-yellow sandy duplex soil developed on Quaternary alluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 5.81, 3.81, 3.41, 3.42; Dg 4.41.

Great Soil Group: Yellow - gleyed podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Low elongate rises (0.5 - 2 m) on alluvial plains; modal slopes 0-1%.

VICTORIA PLAINS (Vc)

Concept: An alkaline, black, self-mulching, cracking clay developed on Quaternary alluvium.

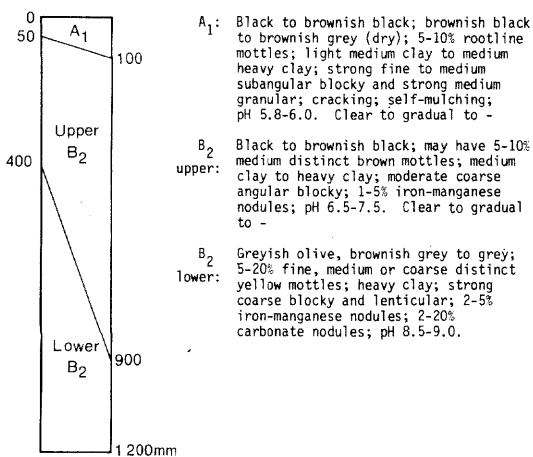
Principal Profile Form: Ug 5.16.

Great Soil Group: Black earth.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Depression areas or drainage lines in alluvial plains; modal slopes 0%.

Surface Features: Incipient normal gilgai development. Debil debil micro-relief in areas with poor external drainage.

BRIGHTLEY (Bt)

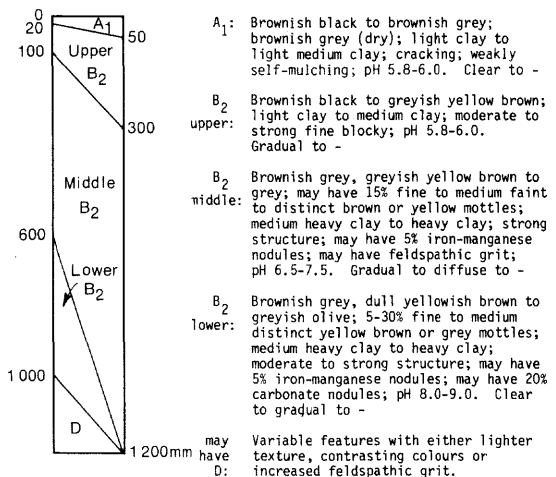
Concept: An alkaline, grey, self-mulching, cracking clay developed on Quaternary alluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Ug 5.24, 5.28, 5.16, 5.17.

Great Soil Group: Grey clay.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Alluvial plains; modal slopes 0-1%.



Comments: Some profiles have a weakly developed sporadic bleach in the A horizon.

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BENHOLME (Bt)

Concept: An alkaline, bleached, mottled, grey-yellow cracking clay developed on Quaternary alluvium.

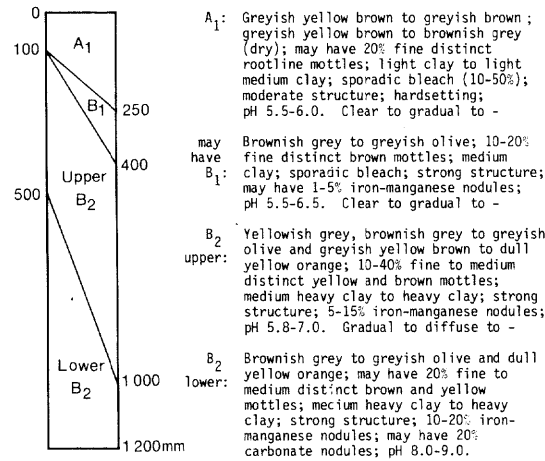
Principal Profile Form: Ug 5.24, 5.28, 3.2.

Great Soil Group: Grey clay.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Alluvial plains; modal slopes 0-1%.

Surface Features: Incipient normal gilgai (vertical interval 100 - 200 mm, horizontal interval 1 - 2 m).



Comments: Occasionally a Dy with silty clay loam A horizons occurs in the gilgai depressions.

KINCHANT (Kc)

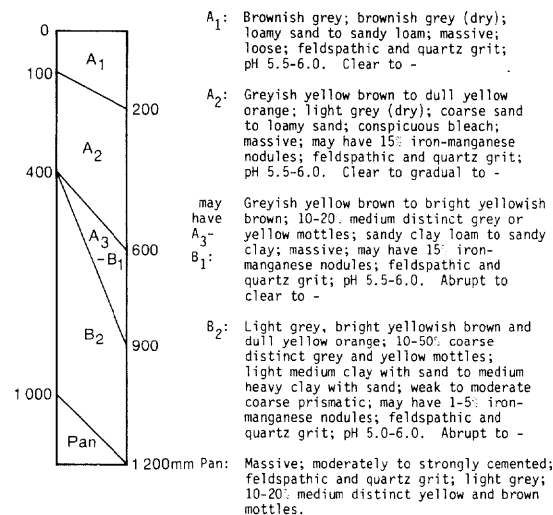
Concept: An acid, bleached, yellow-gleyed, sandy duplex soil overlying a pan and developed on relict plains of alluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 5.81, 5.41; Dg 4.81, 4.41.

Great Soil Group: Soloth.

Parent Material: Alluvium; possibly of Tertiary age.

Landform: Level to gently undulating plains 5 - 10 m above adjacent alluvial plains; modal slopes 0-2%.



Comments: The A horizons directly overlie the cemented pan in some profiles, Uc 2.

DUNDULA (Dn)

Concept: An alkaline, bleached mottled grey-brown cracking clay developed on Quaternary alluvium.

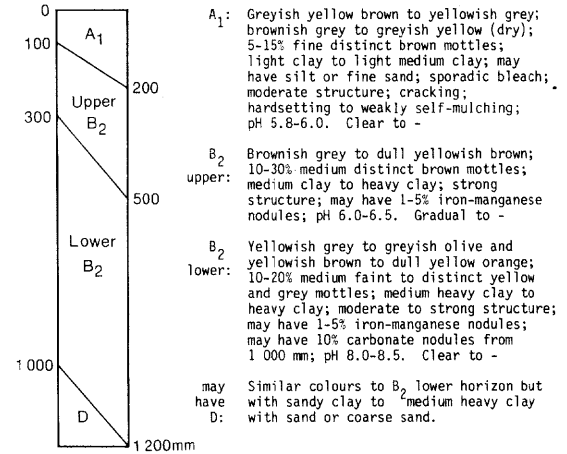
Principal Profile Form: Ug 5.24, 5.28.

Great Soil Group: Grey clay.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Alluvial plains slightly elevated above drainage lines; modal slopes 0-1%.

Surface Features: Incipient normal gilgai (vertical interval 100 mm, horizontal interval 2 m).



KINCHANT, coarse sandy variant (Kc 1)

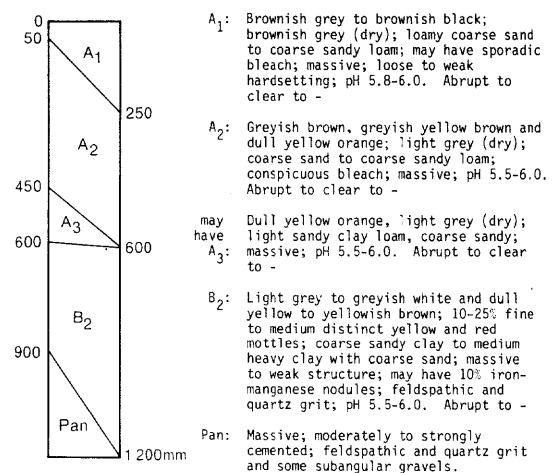
Concept: An acid, bleached, yellow-gleyed, coarse sandy duplex soil overlying a pan and developed on relict plains of alluvial to alluvial-colluvial material.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 5.81; Dg 4.81.

Great Soil Group: Gleyed podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Alluvial to alluvial-colluvial material; possibly of Tertiary age.

Landform: Gently undulating plains 2 - 10 m above adjacent alluvial plains; modal slopes 1-3%.



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ALLANDALE (A1)

Concept: An acid to neutral, bleached, yellow-brown duplex soil overlying a pan and developed on relict plains of alluvium.

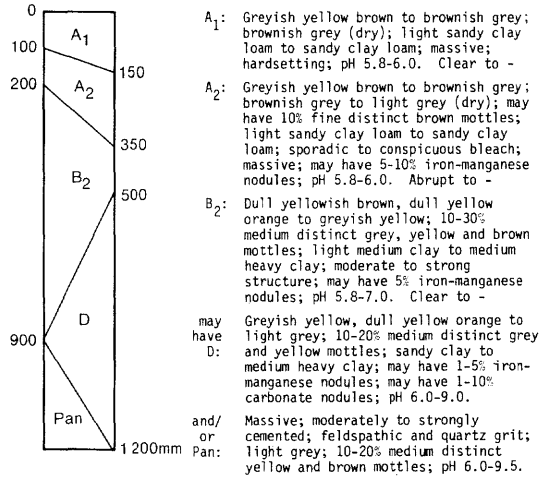
Principal Profile Form: Dy 3.31, 3.41, 3.42, 3.32.

Great Soil Group: Soloth.

Parent Material: Alluvium; possibly of Tertiary age.

Landform: Level to gently undulating plains 5 - 10 m above adjacent alluvial plains; modal slopes 0-1%.

Surface Features: Debil debil and normal gilgai (vertical interval 300 mm, horizontal interval 2 m) evident in some areas.



Comments: Some profiles have a sandy loam A horizon texture and intergrade to Kinchant soils.

PIONEER (Pn)

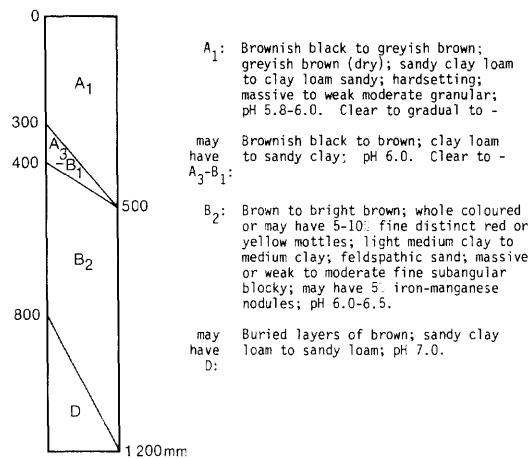
Concept: An acid to neutral, red-brown duplex soil developed on levees of Quaternary alluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Db 1.11, 1.12, 1.51, 1.52, 2.11; Dy 2.11.

Great Soil Group: Non calcic brown soil.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Levees; modal slopes 0-4%.



Comment: There is no suitable great soil group for those profiles with massive to weak B horizon structure.

ALLANDALE, strongly sodic variant (A1)

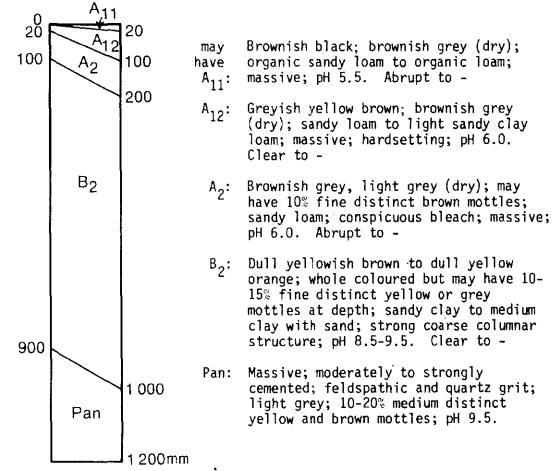
Concept: A strongly alkaline, bleached yellow-brown duplex soil overlying a pan and developed on relict plains of alluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 2.43.

Great Soil Group: Solodized - solonetz soil.

Parent Material: Alluvium; possibly of Tertiary age.

Landform: Level to gently undulating plains 5 - 10 m above adjacent alluvial plains; modal slopes 0-1%.



PIONEER, red B horizon variant (Pn 1)

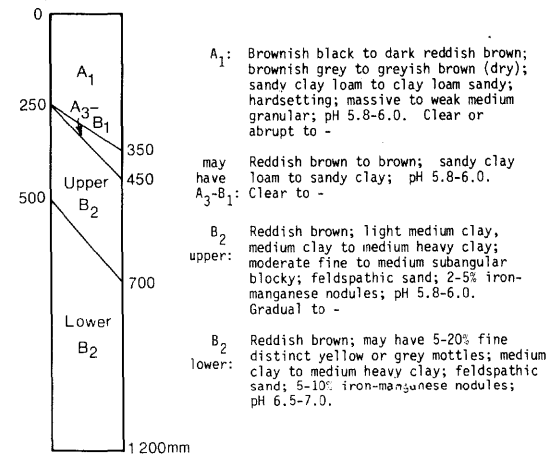
Concept: A neutral, red duplex soil developed on Quaternary alluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Dr 2.12.

Great Soil Group: Non calcic brown soil.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Terraces and levees; modal slopes 0-1%.



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ST. HELENS (St)

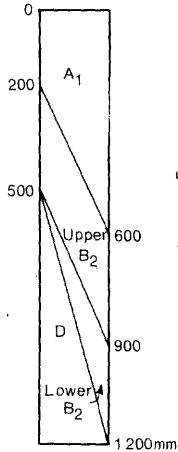
Concept: An acid to neutral, dark gradational soil developed on stream terraces of Quaternary alluvium.

Principal Profile Form: Gn 3.41, 3.42; Uf 6.32; Gn 3.92.

Great Soil Group: Prairie soil, minimal prairie soil.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Stream terraces and floodplains; modal slopes 0-2% ranging to 6%.



- A₁: Brownish black to black; brownish grey to greyish yellow brown (dry); fine sandy clay loam, light clay and sandy clay loam; weakly hardsetting; weak to moderate structure; pH 5.8-6.0. Gradual to -
- B₂ upper: Brownish black to brownish grey; light clay to medium clay; moderate structure; may have fine sand or sand; pH 5.8-6.5. Gradual to diffuse to -
- B₂ lower: Dull yellowish brown to dark reddish brown; may have 40% fine to medium distinct dark mottles; light clay to medium heavy clay; may have fine sand or sand; moderate structure; may have 1-5% iron-manganese nodules; pH 6.0-7.0.
- D: Dull yellowish brown, bright brown to brownish grey; sandy loam to sandy clay or gravel; pH 6.0-7.0.

CAMERON (Cm)

Concept: An acid to neutral, brown, massive, uniform loam to gradational soil developed on stream terraces and floodplains of Quaternary alluvium.

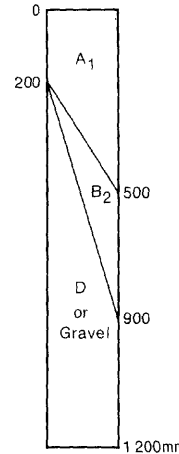
Principal Profile Form: Um 1.43, 1.41; Um 5.5; Gn 2.41, 2.82.

Great Soil Group: Alluvial soil and no suitable group.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Stream terraces and floodplains; modal slopes 0-2%.

Surface Features: May have 5-15% rounded gravel and cobble.



- A₁: Brownish grey, dull yellowish brown to brownish black; brownish grey to greyish yellow brown (dry); sandy clay loam, fine sandy clay loam to light sandy clay loam; massive; hardsetting; may have 5% rounded gravel and cobble; pH 5.5-6.5. Clear to diffuse to -
- may have Greyish yellow brown to brown; sandy clay loam to sandy clay; massive; may have 5-10% rounded cobble and gravel; pH 5.8-7.0.
- D or Sand, sandy loam or gravel (rarely a gravel: deep profile to 1 200 mm).

Comments: Cameron profiles intergrade to St. Helens profiles, particularly along Cattle Creek.

MURRAY (Mu)

Concept: An acid sand on floodplains of Quaternary alluvium.

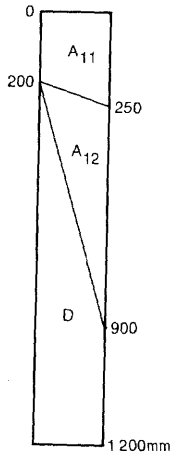
Principal Profile Form: Uc 1.2, 5.11

Great Soil Group: Alluvial soil.

Parent Material: Quaternary alluvium.

Landform: Floodplains; modal slopes 0-2%.

Surface Features: 0-40% rounded gravel and cobble.



- A₁₁: Greyish yellow brown, brown to brownish black; light grey to dull brown (dry); loamy sand to sandy loam; loose; single grain to weak medium granular; pH 5.8-6.2. Gradual to -
- A₁₂: Dull yellowish brown to brown; loamy sand, sandy loam to sand; single grain; pH 5.8-6.5.
- D: Buried layers of sand, sandy loam or gravel.

ANDERGROVE (An)

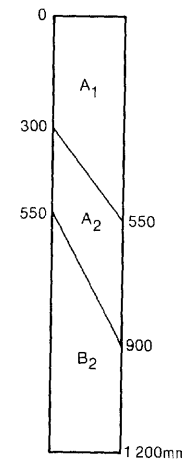
Concept: An acid, bleached sand with a yellow B horizon developed on Quaternary sand deposits.

Principal Profile Form: Uc 2.21, 2.22, 2.23.

Great Soil Group: Rudimentary podzol.

Parent Material: Quaternary sand deposits of marine origin.

Landform: Beach ridges and coastal dunes, other than foredunes; modal slopes 0-3%.



- A₁: Greyish yellow brown to brownish black; brownish grey to greyish brown (dry); sand to sandy loam; single grain structure; loose; pH 5.5-6.0. Clear to gradual to -
- A₂: Greyish yellow brown to dull yellow orange; light grey to dull yellow orange (dry); sand to loamy sand; conspicuous bleach; single grain structure; pH 5.8-6.5. Gradual to diffuse to -
- B₂: May be whole coloured dull yellow orange to bright yellowish brown or light grey (moist), with 10-20% medium distinct yellow mottles; sand to loamy sand; single grain structure; may have 10% iron concretions; pH 5.8-7.0.

Comments: Augered profiles to 3 m indicate that associated with the Uc profiles are Dy 5.82 or Dg 4.81 profiles with a sandy clay B horizon below 1 300 - 2 000 mm.

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ANDERGROVE, coarse sandy variant (An 1)

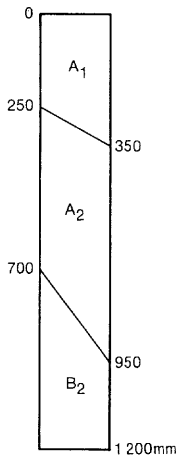
Concept: An acid, bleached, coarse sand overlying yellow-gleyed sandy clay and developed on Quaternary sand deposits.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 5.81, 5.82; Dg 4.81.

Great Soil Group: Yellow-gleyed podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Quaternary sand deposits of marine origin.

Landform: Beach ridges; modal slopes 0-2%.



- A₁: Greyish yellow brown to brownish grey; brownish and light grey (dry); loamy coarse sand to coarse sandy loam; single grain structure; loose; pH 5.5-6.0. Gradual to -
- A₂: Greyish yellow brown; light grey (dry); coarse sand to coarse sandy loam; conspicuous bleach; single grain structure; pH 5.5. Abrupt to clear to -
- B₂: Brownish grey, light grey and bright yellowish brown; 15-20% medium prominent brown or grey mottles; coarse sandy clay; massive; may have 5% iron-manganese nodules; pH 5.5-7.0.

ANDERGROVE, calcareous variant (An 2)

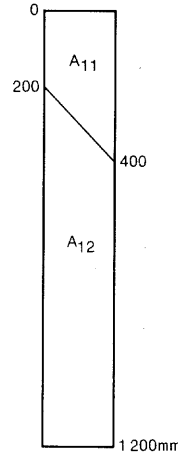
Concept: An alkaline, brown sand developed on Quaternary sand deposits.

Principal Profile Form: Uc 1.1.

Great Soil Group: Calcareous sand.

Parent Material: Quaternary sand deposits of marine origin.

Landform: Coastal sand dunes or beach ridges; modal slopes 0-4%.



- A₁₁: Dark reddish brown; greyish brown (dry); sand; single grain; loose; pH 8.0. Gradual to -
- A₁₂: Light brownish grey (dry); sand; single grain; 5-10% small fragments of pumice and coral; pH 8.0-8.5.

NEILS (N1)

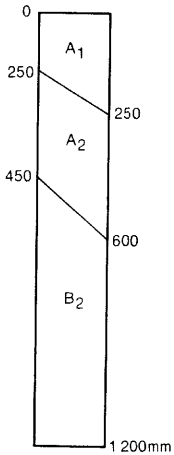
Concept: An acid, bleached, yellow-gleyed, fine sandy duplex soil developed on Quaternary sand deposits.

Principal Profile Form: Dy 5.81, 5.82; Dg 4.81.

Great Soil Group: Yellow and gleyed podzolic soil.

Parent Material: Quaternary sand deposits.

Landform: Coastal dunes or degraded beach ridges; modal slopes 1-3%.



- A₁: Brownish black to greyish yellow brown; brownish grey (dry); loamy fine sand to sandy loam; weak medium granular; loose; pH 5.8-6.0. Clear to -
- A₂: Brownish grey to greyish yellow brown; light grey (dry); fine sand to loamy sand; conspicuous bleach; massive; 5-15% iron-manganese concretions; pH 5.8-6.5. Abrupt to -
- B₂: Yellowish brown, bright yellowish brown, dull yellow orange to light grey; 10-30% distinct to prominent red, brown or grey mottles; massive; 5-10% iron-manganese concretions; pH 5.5-6.0.

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Jumper
 SITE NO: MCL 903
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 678 600 mE 7 696 100 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Solodic
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.33
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Aquic Natrustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Very few medium pebbles

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Sedimentary rocks
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 04 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM: Woodland
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Eucalyptus alba, Tristania sauveolens, Eucalyptus
 intermedius, Melaleuca nervosa, Themeda australis, Heteropogon
 contortus

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .22 m	Brownish black (7.5YR3/1) moist; brownish grey (7.5YR6/1) dry; few fine distinct brown mottles; common fine distinct grey mottles; sandy clay loam; moderate 5-10mm subangular blocky; dry moderately weak. Clear; to-
A2	.22 to .35 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) dry; sandy clay loam; many rounded unspecified coarse fragments; moderate; dry moderately weak. Clear; to-
B21	.35 to .70 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; common medium distinct grey mottles; medium heavy clay; strong; moderately moist very firm; few manganese nodules; slightly calcareous. Diffuse; to-
B22	.70 to 1.00 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR7/3) moist; many medium distinct grey mottles; sandy clay; weak; dry very firm; many carbonate soft segregations; moderately calcareous. Abrupt; to-
BC	1.00 to 1.20 m	Light grey (2.5Y8/1) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; light medium clay; moderate; dry very firm; many carbonate soft segregations; moderately calcareous.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
.10	5.9 .02 .001	13 54 23 10	6 2.7 1.8 .17 .09	.024 0.21 .018	1.5 21 7	
.20	5.8 .02 .001				1.4	
.30	6.1 .01 .001	18 48 20 14	6 .82 1.6 .28 .04	.023 0.26 .011	1.7 16 7	
.60	8.3 .10 .005	5 47 14 31	13 3.9 10 2.9 .09	.024 1.21 .008	2.8 24 13	
.90	9.8 .29 .020	1 59 18 20	15 5.3 10 4.9 .09	.005 2.02 .004	2.7 22 10	
1.20	9.6 .44 .035	4 51 21 24	16 6.1 14 7.3 .14	.005 1.91 .006	2.9	

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.
(M&B)	%	%	Acid Bicarb.	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn
metres	%	%	ppm	m.eq%	ppm
.10	1.9	.15	2	9	.10
.20	.80	.04	2	9	.07

SOIL TYPE: Silant Grove
 SITE NO: MCL 904
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 674 400 mE 7 697 800 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Black earth
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Ug5.14
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Udothentic Chromustert
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Few stones

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Andesite
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 09 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM: Woodland
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Eucalyptus tessellaris, Eucalyptus alba, Eucalyptus
 tereticornis, Tristania sauveolens, Albizia procera,
 Glochidion lobocardum

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Periodic cracking, self mulching

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .02 m	Black (10YR1.7/1) moist; brownish black (10YR3/2) dry; light clay; few angular andesite; strong 2-5mm granular; dry very fine. Clear; to-
B21	.02 to .55 m	Black (10YR1.7/1) moist; few fine faint yellow mottles; light medium clay; strong; moderately moist; few manganese nodules. Gradual; to-
B22	.55 to .80 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; light medium clay; few angular andesite; strong; moderately moist; few manganese nodules. Gradual; to-
B3	.80 to .86 m	Yellowish grey (2.5Y6/1) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; few angular andesite; strong; moderately moist; few carbonate soft segregations; few manganese nodules.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
.10	6.2 .06 .002	16 26 17 38	33 11 16 .28 .96	.075 0.31 .034	6.4 38 24	
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.60	6.6 .02 .001	30 33 10 26	20 10 10 .40 .06	.048 0.26 .013	5.2 27 18	
.90	7.0 .02 .001	39 27 8 23	24 9.8 8.9 .43 .06	.045 0.31 .009	4.8 25 16	

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.
(M&B)	%	%	Acid Bicarb.	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn
metres	%	%	ppm	m.eq%	ppm
.10	2.7	.20	10	24	1.0
.20	2.0	.13	5	10	.22

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Jumper
 SITE NO: MCL 505
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 682 700 mE 7 690 600 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: Solodic
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.32
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Natrustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Sedimentary rocks
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 03 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating plains

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM: Woodland
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Eucalyptus crebra, Melaleuca viridiflora

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Very few medium pebbles

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .05 m	Brownish grey (7.5YR4/1) moist; light brownish grey (7.5YR7/2) dry; sandy loam; many angular sedimentary rocks; moderate 2-5mm subangular blocky; dry very weak. Clear; to-
A2sb	.05 to .20 m	Brownish grey (7.5YR4/1) moist; few fine distinct brown mottles; sandy loam; many angular sedimentary rocks; dry very weak. Abrupt; to-
B21	.20 to .45 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR6/4) moist; common fine faint yellow mottles; few fine distinct brown mottles; medium clay; few angular sedimentary rocks; moderate; dry very firm; slightly calcareous. Clear; to-
B22	.45 to .58 m	Greyish olive (5Y6/2) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; light medium clay; abundant angular sedimentary rocks; moderate; very weak.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
.05	5.7 .03	.005 17 50 23 11	7 2.3 1.3 .22 .18	.024 0.28 .026	1.4 20 6	
.20	6.2 .03	.002			1.5	
.30	6.1 .20	.017 5 18 23 52	17 3.5 6.9 5.5 .16	.011 1.03 .013	3.9 38 22	
.58	7.9 .26	.026 17 21 33 31	14 4.3 6.4 8.3 .08	.012 1.94 .020	2.5 23 12	

Depth	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep. Bicarb.	Rep. K	DTPA-extr. Fe Mn Cu Zn
metres	%	%	ppm	m.eq/l	ppm	
.10	1.9	.16	5	7	.20	
.20	1.2	.12	2	6	.09	

SOIL TYPE: Wagona; basic parent material variant
 SITE NO: MCL 506
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 686 400 mE 7 692 500 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: Prairie soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Gn3.11
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Ustochrept
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Basalt
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 02 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM: Woodland
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Eucalyptus tereticornis, Eucalyptus crebra, Eucalyptus intermedia, Planchonia careya

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Few stones

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Firm

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .20 m	Brownish black (7.5YR3/2) moist; dark brown (7.5YR3/3) dry; clay loam; strong; smooth-ped; dry very firm. Diffuse; to-
B21	.20 to .75 m	Reddish brown (5YR4/6) moist; medium clay; strong; smooth-ped; moderately moist; few manganiferous nodules; non-calcareous. Diffuse; to-
B22	.75 to 1.20 m	Reddish brown (5YR4/6) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; few fine distinct dark mottles; light clay; strong; smooth-ped; moderately moist; few manganiferous soft segregations; slightly calcareous. Gradual; to-
BC	1.20 to 1.50 m	Dull brown (7.5YR5/4) moist; medium clay; strong; smooth-ped; moderately moist; many manganiferous soft segregations; non-calcareous.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
.10	6.0 .03	.002 26 20 25 28	16 8.5 4.6 .17 .12	.055 0.04 .032	4.3 27 17	
.20	6.0 .02	.001			4.3	
.30	6.1 .01	.001 17 17 17 48	13 7.6 4.6 .12 .02	.029 0.03 .018	4.6 37 21	
.60	6.2 .02	.001 9 11 17 62	21 10 7.8 .18 .02	.015 0.02 .010	5.9 41 26	
.90	6.2 .01	.001 5 20 22 52	31 16 13 .28 .02	.009 0.03 .006	7.5 45 29	
1.20	6.3 .01	.001 6 25 26 40	31 16 13 .28 .01	.008 0.03 .005	8.5	
1.50	6.6 .01	.001 4 27 26 40	38 22 16 .30 .01	.007 0.03 .004	8.0	

Depth	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep. Bicarb.	Rep. K	DTPA-extr. Fe Mn Cu Zn
metres	%	%	ppm	m.eq/l	ppm	
.10	2.2	.14	2	8	.14	
.20	1.6	.11	2	5	.05	

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Wagoora
SITE NO: MCL 507
A.M.G. REFERENCE: 684 900 mE 7 685 900 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Prairie soil
PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: G3.52
SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Haplumbrept
FAO UNESOD UNIT:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Few cobbles

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Andesite
CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 06 %
LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
STRUCTURAL FORM: Woodland
DOMINANT SPECIES: Eucalyptus alba; Eucalyptus intermedia; Tristania
sauveolens; Heteropogon contortus; Bothriochloa bladhii

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Firm

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .15 m	Greyish brown (7.5YR5/2) dry; brownish black (7.5YR3/2) moist; clay loam; few rounded andesite; strong 5-10mm subangular blocky strong (2mm granular) smooth-pedi dry moderately strong. Diffuse; to-
A3	.15 to .25 m	Brownish black (7.5YR2/2) moist; few fine distinct grey mottles; light clay; many rounded andesite; strong; smooth-pedi dry moderately strong. Gradual; to-
B21	.25 to .45 m	Brown (7.5YR4/4) moist; medium clay; strong; smooth-pedi moderately moist moderately strong; slightly calcareous. Clear; to-
B22	.45 to .70 m	Yellowish brown (10YR5/6) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; many angular andesite; strong; smooth-pedi moderately moist moderately strong; slightly calcareous. Gradual; to-
B23	.70 to 1.40 m	Brown (7.5YR4/3) moist; few medium faint yellow mottles; few fine faint dark mottles; medium clay; strong; smooth-pedi moderately moist moderately strong; few manganiferous nodules; slightly calcareous.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size				Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures		Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S	C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM 1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	% @ 105C	%	%	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	%	%	%	% @ 105C	%	%		
.10	6.0	.03	.001	19	29	23	28	19	6.8	5.3	.16	.31	.054	0.84	.027	3.7	32	17	
.25	6.0	.02	.001																
.35	6.3	.02	.001	15	19	15	48	18	4.4	7.0	.45	.16	.033	0.82	.018	4.3	35	22	
.60	6.9	.03	.003	10	22	16	49	19	5.5	11	1.2	.20	.019	0.91	.009	4.5	37	23	
.90	7.8	.05	.004	6	25	20	47	28	8.5	16	2.1	.18	.013	0.84	.006	4.9	38	22	
1.20	8.6	.14	.013	6	31	17	44	28	9.2	17	4.2	.17	.021	0.85	.005	4.7			
1.40	8.5	.20	.023	8	29	19	43	27	8.6	15	3.9	.10	.019	0.82	.004	5.8			

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B)		Tot.N		Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K	DTPA-extr.				
	%	%	%	%	Acid	Bicarb.		ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	
.10	2.7	.14			4	8	.35					
.20	1.4	.10			2	5	.16					

SOIL TYPE: Calen
SITE NO: MCL 509
A.M.G. REFERENCE: 690 500 mE 7 684 800 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Solodic
PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.42
SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Aquic Haplustalf
FAO UNESOD UNIT:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 00 %
LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain

VEGETATION
STRUCTURAL FORM: Woodland
DOMINANT SPECIES: Eucalyptus intermedia; Tristania sauveolens;
Eucalyptus tereticornis; Planchonia caraya; Heteropogon
contortus; Themeda australis

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A11	0 to .10 m	Yellowish grey (2.5Y4/1) moist; brownish grey (10YR6/1) dry; sandy clay loam; moderate 5-10mm subangular blocky; dry. Clear; to-
A12	.10 to .20 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR5/2) moist; sandy clay loam; massive; dry. Clear; to-
A2cb	.20 to .27 m	Light grey (10YR8/1) dry; sandy clay loam; massive; dry. Abrupt; irregular to-
B21	.27 to .70 m	Dark greyish yellow (2.5Y5/2) moist; common medium distinct yellow mottles; common medium distinct grey mottles; medium heavy clay; strong; moderately moist; non-calcareous. Clear; to-
B22	.70 to .90 m	Bright yellowish brown (2.5Y6/6) moist; many medium distinct grey mottles; medium clay; strong; moderately moist; non-calcareous. Gradual; to-
B23	.90 to 1.00 m	Bright yellowish brown (2.5Y6/6) moist; many medium distinct grey mottles; sandy clay; moderately moist; few manganiferous nodules; non-calcareous.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size				Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures		Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S	C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM 1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	% @ 105C	%	%	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	%	%	%	% @ 105C	%	%		
.10	5.9	.02	.001	24	42	21	12	6	2.0	1.1	.12	.13	.023	2.16	.015	1.0	21	7	
.20	6.0	.01	.001																
.27	6.4	.01	.001	23	40	23	12	5	1.6	1.0	.18	.05	.013	1.98	.005	1.0	19	7	
.60	6.9	.03	.002	17	33	20	31	12	4.0	4.0	1.1	.15	.015	1.96	.007	2.4	25	13	
.90	7.7	.03	.002	17	45	11	25	12	4.0	4.3	1.3	.15	.011	2.43	.003	2.1	24	12	

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B)		Tot.N		Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K	DTPA-extr.				
	%	%	%	%	Acid	Bicarb.		ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	
.10	1.2	.10			3	8	.16					
.20	.71	.06			2	4	.10					

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Victoria Plains
 SITE NO: MCL S09
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 692 300 mE 7 687 400 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Black earth
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Ug5.16
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Udic Pellustert
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

TYPE OF MICRORELIEF: Normal gilgai
 VERTICAL INTERVAL: 0.20 m
 HORIZONTAL INTERVAL: 04 m
 SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 00 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM: Woodland
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Eucalyptus alba, Eucalyptus tereticornis

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Periodic cracking, self mulching

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .05 m	Black (10YR2/1) moist; brownish grey (10YR5/1) dry; light medium clay; strong 5-10mm angular blocky; dry; few carbonate nodules. Clear; to-
B21	.05 to .20 m	Black (10YR2/1) moist; light medium clay; dry; non-calcareous. Gradual; to-
B22	.20 to .50 m	Brownish black (7.5YR3/1) moist; few fine faint brown mottles; heavy clay; moderately moist; very few manganiferous nodules; non-calcareous. Gradual; to-
B23	.50 to .80 m	Brownish black (7.5YR3/1) moist; few fine faint brown mottles; heavy clay; moderately moist; very few carbonate nodules; non-calcareous; few manganiferous nodules. Diffuse; to-
B24	.80 to 1.10 m	Brownish grey (10YR4/1) moist; medium heavy clay; moist; few manganiferous nodules; slightly calcareous; few carbonate nodules; slightly calcareous. Gradual; to-
B25	1.10 to 1.20 m	Brownish grey (10YR4/1) moist; medium heavy clay; moist; few carbonate nodules; slightly calcareous; few manganiferous nodules.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp.Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
.05	6.5 .06 .004	8 20 29 43	31 21 6.5 .45 .43	.050 0.53 .021	4.6 41 21	
.20	6.1 .04 .002	2 17 24 57	28 15 6.6 .76 .22	.030 0.47 .016	5.1	
.60	6.2 .06 .006	5 20 26 50	33 17 7.6 1.5 .28	.019 0.48 .010	4.8 40 20	
.90	7.4 .15 .018	2 12 20 66	41 29 13 3.1 .32	.016 0.56 .008	7.0 51 28	
1.20	8.5 .31 .029	2 13 19 69	44 33 13 3.9 .31	.020 0.63 .004	7.1	

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.
metres	(M&B) %	%	Acid Bicarb. ppm	Fe Mn Cu Zn	ppm
.5	2.1	.13	20	34	.45
.20	2.0	.12	8	10	.20

SOIL TYPE: Narpi
 SITE NO: MCL S10
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 693 100 mE 7 679 200 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Solodic
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.33
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 00 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES:

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .01 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; brownish grey (10YR5/1) dry; few fine distinct brown mottles; clay loam; fine sandy; moderate; dry. Abrupt; to-
A2sb	.01 to .15 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; few fine distinct brown mottles; clay loam; fine sandy; moderate; dry; very few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B1sb	.15 to .20 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/3) moist; light clay; moderately moist; very few manganiferous nodules. Abrupt; to-
B21	.20 to .50 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR6/4) moist; few medium faint yellow mottles; heavy clay; moderately moist; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B22	.50 to .70 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/3) moist; few medium faint yellow mottles; heavy clay; moderately moist; few manganiferous nodules.
B23	.70 to .90 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR6/3) moist; few medium distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; moderately moist; very few manganiferous nodules.
B24	.90 to 1.15 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR6/3) moist; medium clay; moderately moist.
D1	1.15 to 1.20 m	Brownish grey (10YR5/1) moist; medium clay; moderately moist; very few carbonate soft segregations; very few manganiferous nodules.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp.Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
Bulk .10	5.5 .03 .003	18 4.4 2.9 0.1 .34	.026 .58 .021			
.10	5.8 .02 .002	15 22 32 35	18 3.8 2.7 0.2 .20	.024 .57 .014	3.1 31 14	.67 .23
.20	5.8 .02 .002	6 14 21 61	30 9.0 5.9 0.9 .27	.015 .59 .009	5.8 37 22	.69 .34
.30	5.9 .02 .002	6 14 21 61	32 16 10 1.8 .08	.014 .57 .006	6.0 36 21	.83 .44
.60	6.5 .10 .016	10 18 18 33	24 14 9.2 2.2 .06	.017 .98 .004	4.3 29 16	.92 .51
.90	7.9 .19 .029	17 36 15 33	33 19 13 3.6 .10	.016 1.07 .003	6.3	
1.20	8.0 .38 .056	3 17 29 50	33 19 13 3.6 .10	.016 1.07 .003	6.3	

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.
metres	(M&B) %	%	Acid Bicarb. ppm	Fe Mn Cu Zn	ppm
Bulk .10	1.8	.17	7	13	.29
.10	.98	.09	4	8	.17
.20	.59	.07	3	4	.16

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Cameron
 SITE NO: MCL S13
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 687 600 mE 7 690 600 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Alluvial soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Um1.43
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Ustorthent
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 0 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Flood-plain

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .40 m	Brown (10YR4/4) moist; dull yellowish orange (10YR6/3) dry; sandy clay loam; earthy; moderately moist. Clear; to-
D1	.40 to .50 m	Brown (10YR4/4) moist; fine sandy loam; earthy; moderately moist. Abrupt; to-
D2	.50 to 1.20 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/4) moist; sand; sandy; moderately moist.

Depth metres	Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio			
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2	
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	%	%	m.eq/100g	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	% @ 105C	%	%	%	%	
Bulk .10	5.2	.07	.002	14	46	23	20	14	5.0	1.5	.1	.25	.053	1.74	.016	2.0	22	10	.73	.22
.10	5.3	.07	.002	14	46	23	20	14	5.2	1.5	.1	.27	.054	1.76	.017					
.20	5.3	.05	.001	12	48	23	20	14	5.5	1.4	.1	.18	.053	1.71	.015	2.1	22	10	.80	.22
.30	5.5	.03	.001	27	45	12	19	10	5.9	1.3	.1	.13				1.9	16	8	.68	
.50	5.8	.02	.001	78	16	3	3	4	1.8	0.3	.1	.03	.025	1.72	.005	10.6	5	3	.10	.12
.90	5.7	.01	.001	69	24	1	6	4	2.3	0.7	.1	.03	.025	1.94	.006	10.7				
1.20	6.0	.01	.001																	

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid	Bicarb.		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
	%	%	ppm	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
Bulk .10	.86	.07	49	35	.29	62	38	1.8	1.9
.10	.73	.09	45	31	.30				
.20	.81	.09	50	34	.29				

SOIL TYPE: Seaforth
 SITE NO: MCL S14
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 705 400 mE 7 677 300 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Soloth
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.41
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 01 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .15 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR5/2) moist; clay loam; fine sandy; moderately moist. Clear; to-
A2	.15 to .40 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) moist; few medium faint brown mottles; loam; fine sandy; moderately moist. Clear; to-
B21	.40 to .70 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/3) moist; common medium distinct brown mottles; few fine distinct yellow mottles; light medium clay; moderately moist moderately weak. Gradual; to-
B22	.70 to 1.05 m	Yellowish brown (2.5Y5/6) moist; many coarse distinct grey mottles; medium clay; few subangular quartz; few rounded unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist moderately weak; few manganese nodules. Clear; to-
D	1.05 to 1.20 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR4/3) moist; common medium distinct yellow mottles; sandy clay; few subangular quartz; moderate; moderately moist very weak.

Depth metres	Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio			
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2	
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	%	%	m.eq/100g	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	% @ 105C	%	%	%	%	
Bulk .10	5.4	.03	.003	19	30	34	20	8	1.6	1.0	.1	.17	.015	.79	.016					
.10	5.5	.04	.003	21	37	24	19	9	1.8	1.4	.1	.17	.017	.79	.019	1.3	27	8	.71	.20
.15	5.5	.03	.002	19	28	17	36	14	3.5	4.7	0.3	.05	.008	.98	.007	2.5	25	15	.80	.34
.30	6.0	.02	.001	25	28	13	32	15	3.2	6.7	0.4	.05	.005	1.20	.005	12.4	24	14	.88	.41
.60	6.1	.02	.001	41	28	8	22	12	2.7	6.1	0.6	.05	.010	1.32	.003	11.9				
.90	6.2	.03	.004																	
1.20	6.8	.06	.009																	

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid	Bicarb.		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
	%	%	ppm	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
Bulk .10	1.1	.12	5	10	.20	156	22	0.4	1.7
.10	1.5	.14	10	15	.16				
.20	.87	.12	5	10	.10				

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Belmunda
 SITE NO: MCL 515
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 706 400 mE 7 680 600 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Db2.3f
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Paleustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Andesite
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 03 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating rises
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Few cobbles

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A11	0 to .10 m	Brownish black (10YR3/1) moist; sandy clay loam; dry; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
A12	.10 to .35 m	Brownish black (10YR3/1) moist; sandy clay loam; dry; many manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
A2ab	.35 to .45 m	Brownish grey (10YR4/1) moist; sandy clay loam; moderately moist; many manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B1sb	.45 to .60 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/3) moist; few fine distinct red mottles; sandy clay; moderately moist; many manganiferous soft segregations; many manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B22	.60 to 1.00 m	Brown (10YR4/4) moist; few fine prominent red mottles; sandy clay; moderately moist; many manganiferous soft segregations; many manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B23	1.00 to 1.20 m	Bright brown (7.5YR5/6) moist; few medium distinct grey mottles; medium clay; moderately moist very firm; many manganiferous soft segregations; many manganiferous nodules.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
Bulk	5.5	.15	.007	45	25	18 14	17	2.1	2.0	.1	.93	.078	.22	.032	2.3	24	12	.69	.14
.10	5.7	.14	.008				17	2.5	2.0	.1	.95	.078	.22	.034					
.20	5.8	.04	.003																
.30	5.9	.03	.002	44	26	16 15	12	2.1	.2	.1	.21	.069	.11	.018	2.1	21	11	.70	.11
.60	6.1	.03	.003	37	30	18 16	7	0.6	1.4	.1	.05	.061	.12	.008	1.7	19	10	.81	.24
.90	6.0	.02	.002	43	27	16 16	9	0.8	1.2	.1	.11	.054	.09	.010	2.0	19	10	.75	.26
1.20	6.4	.07	.011	30	20	13 37	13	1.4	6.4	0.8	.03	.044	.17	.006	3.2				

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid	Bicarb.		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk	1.8	.14	13	15	.96	124	94	6.9	6.6
.10	2.2	.20	8	22	.58				
.20	1.2	.12	5	14	.19				

SOIL TYPE: Wagona; basic parent material variant
 SITE NO: MCL 516
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 696 500 mE 7 686 400 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: Prairie soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Uf6.4f
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Ustochrept
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Basalt
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 02 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating rises
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Few cobbles

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Firm

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .20 m	Brownish black (10YR2/2) moist; light clay; moderately moist; very few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B21	.20 to .30 m	Brown (7.5YR4/4) moist; medium clay; moderately moist; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B22	.30 to .60 m	Brown (7.5YR4/6) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; light medium clay; few subangular basalt; moderately moist; few manganiferous nodules. Diffuse; to-
B3	.60 to 1.10 m	Brown (7.5YR4/6) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; light clay; few subangular basalt; moderately moist; few manganiferous soft segregations; few manganiferous nodules. Diffuse; to-
B4	1.10 to 1.20 m	Brown (7.5YR4/6) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; light clay; few subangular basalt; moderately moist; few manganiferous soft segregations; few manganiferous nodules.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
Bulk	5.7	.04	.003	19	23	19 41	38	9.4	6.7	0.1	.31	.049	.08	.030	5.1	32	21	.42	.15
.10	5.8	.03	.002				35	9.0	5.9	0.2	.10	.041	.07	.026					
.20	5.8	.02	.001																
.30	6.1	.02	.002	7	15	19 63	38	11	8.0	0.3	.05	.022	.05	.020	6.2	44	30	.38	.20
.55	6.6	.02	.001	13	27	25 40	39	14	11	0.4	.03				7.2	43	24	.50	
.90	6.8	.02	.001	23	36	25 15	39	18	15	0.5	.03	.009	.04	.004	6.5	38	21	.63	.22
1.20	7.0	.02	.001	34	31	21 11	42	25	18	0.5	.03	.015	.04	.003	6.8				

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid	Bicarb.		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk	3.0	.18	4	11	.31	100	102	6.4	3.2
.10	2.2	.17	3	8	.10				
.20	2.1	.15	2	6	.06				

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Ossa
 SITE NO: MCL S17
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 696 200 mE 7 679 300 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: Soloth
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.42
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Aquic Natrustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 03 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Tristania sauveolens; Eucalyptus alba

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .15 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; loam; fine sandy; dry. Abrupt; to-
A2cb	.15 to .40 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) moist; loam; fine sandy; dry. Clear; to-
B1	.40 to .55 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR6/3) moist; common medium distinct yellow mottles; common medium distinct grey mottles; light medium clay; few subangular unspecified coarse fragments; few subangular quartz; moderately moist very firm. Abrupt; to-
B21	.55 to 1.10 m	Yellowish brown (10YR5/8) moist; greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) moist; medium heavy clay; moderately moist moderately strong; very few manganiferous soft segregations. Clear; to-
(D)	1.10 to 1.20 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; light medium clay; few subangular unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist moderately strong; very few manganiferous soft segregations.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp.Ratio			
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2	
	mS/cm	%	%	%	%	%	cmol/c	mg/100g	mg/100g	mg/100g	mg/100g	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Bulk .10	5.3	.03	.003				9	1.4	0.9	.1	.14	.015	.35	.012						
.10	5.4	.03	.002	9	65	17	12	6	1.1	0.4	.1	.11	.013	.33	.011	10.9	16	5	.48	.11
.15	5.6	.02	.002																	
.30	6.0	.01	.001	6	69	16	11	3	0.8	0.2	.1	.03	.009	.36	.005	10.5	12	3	.72	.28
.50	5.9	.03	.003	6	54	15	28	11	2.5	1.5	6.5	.11				11.8	20	10	.79	
.90	6.5	.12	.017	5	43	14	41	17	6.7	3.6	2.1	.05	.010	1.07	.005	12.7	27	14	.88	.65
1.20	7.4	.17	.023	9	47	17	31	15	6.6	3.1	2.4	.05	.010	1.27	.003	12.2				

Depth metres	Org.C (W&B) %	Tot.N %	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K %	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid ppm	Bicarb. ppm		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk .10	1.1	.10	4	6	.15	64	46	0.1	2.9
.10	1.0	.09	4	4	.12				
.20	.61	.05	6	6	.08				

SOIL TYPE: Mulei
 SITE NO: MCL S18
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 700 700 mE 7 668 200 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Gn2.74
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Sandstone
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 04 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Eucalyptus intermedia; Tristania sauveolens; Xanthorrhoea sp.

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .07 m	Greyish brown (7.5YR4/2) moist; sandy loam; massive; moderately moist. Gradual; to-
A2	.07 to .35 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR6/4) moist; light sandy clay loam; massive; moderately moist. Gradual; to-
B21	.35 to .60 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; sandy clay loam; few rounded quartz; massive; moderately moist very weak. Gradual; to-
B22	.60 to .75 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; few medium prominent red mottles; sandy clay; few rounded quartz; massive; moderately moist very weak. Gradual; to-
B23	.75 to 1.20 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; common medium prominent red mottles; sandy clay; few rounded quartz; massive; moderately moist very weak.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp.Ratio			
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2	
	mS/cm	%	%	%	%	%	cmol/c	mg/100g	mg/100g	mg/100g	mg/100g	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Bulk .07	5.5	.02	.001				9	0.3	0.7	.1	.13	.016	.20	.012						
.07	5.2	.02	.002	20	66	6	9	6	0.1	0.5	.1	.08	.013	.20	.009	10.8	10	4	.45	.08
.20	5.2	.01	.001																	
.30	5.1	.01	.001	17	66	7	13	5	1	0.3	.1	.03	.010	.18	.005	10.8	10	5	.48	.08
.60	5.3	.01	.001	15	63	5	17	5	0.3	0.9	.1	.03	.013	.23	.006	11.0	10	6	.33	0
.90	5.4	.02	.002	14	47	6	34	9	1	1.4	.1	.04	.016	.46	.011	11.9	18	12	.07	0
1.20	5.3	.02	.002	11	49	6	39	9	0.21	1.6	.1	.04	.015	.50	.010	12.1				

Depth metres	Org.C (W&B) %	Tot.N %	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K %	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid ppm	Bicarb. ppm		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk .10	1.1	.07	8	5	.12	54	10	0.1	1.1
.10	.87	.06	3	5	.09				
.20	.39	.03	2	2	.03				

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Kuttabul
 SITE NO: MCL S19
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 698 300 mE 7 668 800 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Sandstone
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Yellow podzolic soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy2.31
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Paleustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 06 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Eucalyptus intermedia; Tristania sauveolens;
 Xanthorrhoea sp.

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A11	0 to .07 m	Grayish brown (7.5YR4/2) moist; light sandy clay loam; moderately moist. Abrupt; to-
A12	.07 to .15 m	Grayish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; sandy clay loam; moderately moist. Abrupt; to-
A2	.15 to .20 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/3) moist; sandy clay loam; dry. Abrupt; to-
B1	.20 to .40 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/4) moist; dull yellowish brown (10YR5/3) moist; sandy clay; dry very firm. Clear; to-
B21	.40 to .75 m	Bright reddish brown (5YR5/6) moist; bright brown (7.5YR5/6) moist; medium clay; moderately moist very firm. Diffuse; to-
B22	.75 to 1.05 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; many medium distinct red mottles; medium clay; moderately moist very firm; few manganiferous soft segregations; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B23	1.05 to 1.20 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; many medium distinct pale mottles; medium clay; few rounded unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules.

Depth	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S	C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp.Ratio
metres		mS/cm	%	%	%	%	%	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	%	%	%
Bulk .10	5.8	.03	.002	13	45	10	14	12	2.4	1.5	.1	.26	.024	.35	.018
.07	5.6	.02	.002	13	45	10	14	10	2.1	1.3	.1	.15	.022	.28	.014
.20	5.4	.01	.001	9	61	12	19	10	0.9	0.9	.1	.08	.020	.32	.011
.30	5.4	.01	.001	9	61	12	19	10	0.9	0.9	.1	.08	.020	.32	.011
.60	5.7	.01	.002	9	31	14	48	20	0.9	0.7	0.3	.10	.034	.35	.019
.90	6.0	.02	.003	14	29	17	39	22	2.9	1.2	0.5	.08	.032	.48	.011
1.20	6.2	.02	.002	12	27	27	35	23	7.4	2.9	0.7	.10	.032	.38	.006

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.	
(M&B)	%	%	Acid Bicarb.	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn	
metres	%	%	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	
Bulk .10	1.6	.11	6	9	.30	76 20 0.3 1.0
.10	.78	.10	3	7	.17	
.20	.79	.06	2	5	.08	

SOIL TYPE: Royston
 SITE NO: MCL S20
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 690 900 mE 7 671 000 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Andesite
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Prairie soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Uf6.31
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Ustochrept
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 06 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Very few cobbles

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Firm

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .15 m	Black (10YR1/7.1) moist; light medium clay; moderately moist. Gradual; to-
B21	.15 to .25 m	Black (10YR2/1) moist; few fine faint brown mottles; medium heavy clay; moderately moist very firm. Clear; to-
B22	.25 to .85 m	Brown (7.5YR4/4) moist; few fine distinct dark mottles; few fine faint yellow mottles; medium heavy clay; moderately moist very firm; very few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B3	.85 to 1.20 m	Brown (7.5YR4/3) moist; light clay; dry moderately firm; very few manganiferous nodules; very few manganiferous soft segregations.

Depth	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S	C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp.Ratio
metres		mS/cm	%	%	%	%	%	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	%	%	%
Bulk .10	5.9	.06	.002	12	16	25	44	48	13	7.5	.1	1.2	.052	.39	.044
.10	5.8	.05	.002	12	16	25	44	49	13	7.9	.1	.85	.115	.34	.042
.25	5.8	.03	.002	6	11	21	61	43	11	9.1	0.2	.19	.049	.18	.024
.35	5.7	.04	.002	6	11	21	61	43	11	9.1	0.2	.19	.049	.18	.024
.60	6.1	.03	.002	3	17	27	54	41	11	11	0.3	.13	.024	.23	.015
.90	7.0	.03	.001	4	26	30	40	44	16	15	0.4	.10	.022	.30	.010
1.20	6.8	.02	.001	4	41	29	26	50	21	15	0.4	.09	.059	.28	.008

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.	
(M&B)	%	%	Acid Bicarb.	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn	
metres	%	%	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	
Bulk .10	2.9	.29	71	97	1.1	160 130 3.9 4.1
.10	3.7	.28	67	80	.78	
.20	2.8	.19	15	22	.25	

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Andergrove
 SITE NO: MCL S21
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 723 500 mE 7 673 900 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: luC.221
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Ustipsamment
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Sand
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 01 X
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE: Dune
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE:
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Loose

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP1	0 to .30 m	Brownish black (10YR3/2) moist; greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) dry; loamy sand; sandy; dry loose. Abrupt; to-
AP2	.30 to .45 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; brownish grey (10YR6/1) dry; loamy sand; sandy; moderately moist loose. Gradual; to-
A2cb	.45 to .90 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/3) moist; dull yellowish orange (10YR7/2) dry; sand; sandy; moderately moist loose. Diffuse; to-
B21	.90 to 1.20 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR6/3) moist; light yellowish orange (10YR8/3) dry; sand; sandy; moderately moist loose.

Depth	Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio	
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM 1/3b	15b	R1	R2
metres	%	%	%	%	%	%	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Bulk .10	5.6	.02	.002	30	62	3 6	5.25	.11	.10	.13	.031	1.59	.012	10.8	7	3	.24	
.10	5.6	.02	.001	30	62	3 6	5.25	.11	.10	.13	.031	1.58	.012	10.9	7	3	.24	
.20	5.5	.01	.001	34	59	3 9	5.10	.05	.10	.11	.023	1.58	.011	10.9	7	3	.02	
.30	5.5	.01	.001	37	59	3 9	2.08	.05	.10	.08	.016	1.60	.010	10.7	5	3	.05	
.40	5.5	.01	.001	37	59	3 9	2.08	.05	.10	.08	.016	1.60	.010	10.7	5	3	.05	
.90	5.8	.01	.001	42	53	1 6	2.39	.06	.10	.08	.012	1.60	.007	10.4	5	2	.05	
1.20	5.9	.01	.001	40	55	1 6	2.52	.10	.10	.12	.010	1.63	.006	10.5				

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep.	DTPA-extr.			
	(M&B)	%	Acid	Bicarb.	K	Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
metres	%	%	ppm	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
Bulk .10	.66	.05	102	28	.16	18	4	0.2	0.2
.10	.80	.06	83	24	.14				
.20	.76	.06	80	21	.12				

SOIL TYPE: Neils
 SITE NO: MCL S22
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 718 300 mE 7 676 400 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: Yellow podzolic soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: DyS.81
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Sand
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 03 X
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE: Dune
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE:
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Loose

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .15 m	Brownish grey (7.5YR4/1) moist; brownish grey (7.5YR5/1) dry; loamy sand; sandy; moderately moist loose. Clear; to-
A2cb	.15 to .50 m	Greyish brown (7.5YR6/2) moist; light grey (10YR7/1) dry; loamy sand; sandy; moderately moist loose. Abrupt; to-
A22cb	.50 to .58 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) moist; loamy sand; sandy; moderately moist loose; many ferruginous concretions. Abrupt; to-
B21	.58 to .90 m	Dull yellow (2.5Y6/4) moist; few medium distinct grey mottles; few fine distinct yellow mottles; sandy clay; moderate; smooth-ped; moist very weak; few ferruginous concretions. Diffuse; to-
B22	.90 to 1.20 m	Greyish yellow (2.5Y7/2) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; sandy clay; weak; smooth-ped; wet very weak; few ferruginous concretions.

Depth	Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio	
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM 1/3b	15b	R1	R2
metres	%	%	%	%	%	%	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Bulk .10	5.9	.02	.001	16	76	6 6	5.21	.72	.10	.13	.014	0.50	.015	10.8	10	5	.12	
.10	6.1	.05	.002	16	76	6 6	5.21	.72	.10	.13	.017	0.57	.018	10.8	10	5	.12	
.15	6.0	.02	.002	14	80	3 6	1.62	.20	.10	.05	.005	0.43	.003	10.2	3	1	.39	
.50	6.4	.01	.001	14	80	3 6	1.62	.20	.10	.05	.005	0.43	.003	10.2	3	1	.39	
.58	6.5	.01	.001	14	69	4 16	2.97	.25	.10	.09	.006	0.56	.005	10.5	8	4	.43	
.90	7.4	.02	.001	15	58	4 27	5.15	1.4	.10	.19	.010	0.58	.008	11.3	15	9	.02	
1.20	6.8	.02	.001	14	60	5 22	4.81	1.8	.10	.20	.010	0.58	.009	11.2				

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep.	DTPA-extr.			
	(M&B)	%	Acid	Bicarb.	K	Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
metres	%	%	ppm	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
Bulk .10	.90	.08	10	8	.11	82	32	0.2	1.0
.10	.82	.09	17	9	.14				
.20	.76	.05	10	8	.11				

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Habana
 SITE NO: MCL S23
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 714 900 mE 7 675 400 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Uf6.4
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Ustochrept
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Igneous rocks
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 06 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Few cobbles

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .25 m	Brownish black (10YR3/2) moist; brownish grey (10YR6/1) dry; light clay; few angular igneous rocks; weakly moderately moist moderately weak. Clear; to-
B1	.25 to .40 m	Light medium clay; abundant angular igneous rocks; moderate; moderately moist. Clear; to-
B21	.40 to .55 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; few fine distinct red mottles; medium clay; moderate; moderately moist very fine; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B22	.55 to .95 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; weakly moderately moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
BC	.95 to 1.10 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) moist; few fine distinct grey mottles; few fine distinct yellow mottles; light clay; moderately moist moderately weak.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	%	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g					%	%	% @ 105C					
Bulk .10	5.7	.03	.003									.034	0.30	.019					
.10	5.6	.04	.004	25	18	23 34	16	2.6	1.9	.10	.40	.033	0.32	.017	2.7	26	13	.74	
.20	5.4	.02	.002												2.9				
.35	5.7	.02	.001	25	14	18 45	16	3.7	1.9	.10	.12	.020	0.58	.020	3.3	27	16	.59	
.55	5.9	.02	.002									.014	0.70	.015	14.6				
.90	6.5	.02	.001	14	21	32 37	15	5.4	4.0	.45	.08	.009	0.72	.007	12.8	31	14	.75	
1.10	6.8	.01	.001					10	6.0	3.9	.50	.04	.009	0.74	.004				

Depth metres	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K	DTPA-extr.			
	(W&B)	%	Acid	Bicarb.		Fe	Mn	Cu Zn	
	%	%	ppm	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	ppm	ppm	
Bulk .10	1.4	.11	34	16	.33	59	200	1.3	0.9
.10	1.3	.09	36	16	.40				
.20	1.1	.08	13	13	.24				

SOIL TYPE: Etowrie
 SITE NO: MCL S24
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 717 700 mE 7 670 900 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Uf6.41
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Ustochrept
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 01 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Bently undulating plains
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Firm

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .25 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) moist; greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) dry; light medium clay; moderate; moderately moist very firm. Clear; to-
B21	.25 to .50 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/4) moist; many fine distinct grey mottles; heavy clay; strong; moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B22	.50 to 1.00 m	Brownish black (10YR3/1) moist; medium heavy clay; strong; moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B23	1.00 to 1.20 m	Dark greyish yellow (2.5Y5/2) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; heavy clay; few angular unspecified coarse fragments; moderate; moist moderately firm; few carbonate nodules; few manganiferous nodules.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	%	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g					%	%	% @ 105C					
Bulk .10	6.2	.04	.003									.040	0.44	.020					
.10	6.2	.02	.002	7	33	30 34	18	5.9	5.4	.25	.23	.038	0.43	.015	13.2	28	13	.64	
.20	6.1	.03	.003												13.6				
.35	6.4	.11	.013	3	19	19 62	32	12.	12.	1.8	.13	.015	0.40	.013	16.2	42	23	.67	
.60	7.1	.30	.048	2	12	27 62	36	18.	21.	4.4	.07	.012	0.43	.009	17.2	45	24	.80	
.90	7.7	.48	.076	3	19	26 55	36	14.	18.	5.3	.07	.013	0.44	.009	16.2	39	21	.92	
1.20	8.2	.48	.072	4	22	24 56	33	13.	16.	5.6	.06	.012	0.43	.005	16.2				

Depth metres	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K	DTPA-extr.			
	(W&B)	%	Acid	Bicarb.		Fe	Mn	Cu Zn	
	%	%	ppm	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	ppm	ppm	
Bulk .10	1.2	.11	40	35	.35	114	75	2.0	1.7
.10	.96	.09	40	31	.19				
.20	.86	.07	35	30	.09				

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Glenella
 SITE NO: MCL S25
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 723 400 mE 7 664 300 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Diorite
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Prairie soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Uf6.31
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Haplumbrept
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 03 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Very few cobbles

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .25 m	Black (7.5YR2/1) moist; greyish brown (7.5YR4/2) dry; light clay; few angular diorite; moderate; moderately moist; moderately firm. Clear; to-
B21	.25 to .50 m	Brown (7.5YR4/4) moist; few fine distinct red mottles; heavy clay; few angular diorite; strong; no cutans; clay skins; moderately moist; moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B22	.50 to .90 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/4) moist; medium clay; strong; moderately moist; moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Diffuse; to-
B3	.90 to 1.20 m	Dark greyish yellow (2.5Y4/2) moist; common fine distinct grey mottles; light clay; weak; moderately moist; moderately weak; few manganiferous nodules.

Depth metres	Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations					Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2	
	mS/cm	%	% @ 10SC	%	%	%	m.eq/100g	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	% @ 10SC	%	%	%	%	
Bulk .10	5.8	.02	.002					19	3.2	2.9	.20	.30	.054	0.28	.020					
.10	5.8	.02	.001	24	44	8	26						.050	0.28	.020	12.7	19	10	.56	
.20	5.7	.02	.001													13.0				
.40	5.9	.03	.003					27	7.4	5.5	.25	.13	.038	0.17	.028	17.2				
.60	6.5	.03	.003	5	20	24	54	28	11	8.9	.45	.11	.026	0.22	.020	16.6	44	26	.48	
.90	6.7	.02	.003	6	35	28	35	28	15	13	.50	.05	.023	0.36	.011	16.2	39	22	.65	
1.20	7.1	.03	.005	20	41	24	18	21	17	13	.45	.03	.074	0.46	.006	15.2				

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B) %	Tot.N %	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K %	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid ppm	Bicarb. ppm		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk .10	1.0	.09	21	22	.24	126	101	1.9	1.2
.10	1.5	.09	22	21	.29				
.20	1.1	.08	20	19	.19				

SOIL TYPE: Parleigh
 SITE NO: MCL S26
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 717 200 mE 7 664 900 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Granodiorite
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy2.12
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Haplumbrept
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 03 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Very few gravel

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .25 m	Brownish black (10YR3/1) moist; brownish grey (10YR5/1) dry; light sandy clay loam; earthy; dry; moderately weak. Abrupt; to-
B21	.25 to .45 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/4) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; many subangular quartz; strong; smooth-ped; moderately moist; moderately firm. Gradual; to-
B3	.45 to .80 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; light yellowish orange (10YR8/3) moist; common medium distinct grey mottles; light medium clay; weak; moderately moist; moderately weak. Diffuse; to-
C	.80 to 1.20 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR6/3) moist; many coarse distinct yellow mottles; clayey coarse sand; moderately moist; very weak.

Depth metres	Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations					Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2	
	mS/cm	%	% @ 10SC	%	%	%	m.eq/100g	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	% @ 10SC	%	%	%	%	
Bulk .10	5.6	.02	.001										.042	0.95	.011					
.10	5.7	.02	.001	53	27	6	17	9	1.6	1.3	.10	.23	.061	1.05	.012	11.4	12	6	.64	
.20	5.4	.02	.001													11.5				
.35	5.4	.03	.001	37	13	7	45	15	4.3	2.0	.10	.13	.023	1.21	.023	14.2	27	17	.56	
.60	6.1	.02	.001	40	18	10	34	14	5.5	4.4	.20	.10	.020	1.73	.014	14.2	28	16	.67	
.90	6.3	.02	.001	45	24	12	22	12	5.3	5.4	.20	.08	.020	2.51	.009	12.9	20	11	.63	
1.20	6.7	.02	.001	52	25	8	16	12	2.7	6.8	.20	.04	.036	2.09	.006	13.2				

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B) %	Tot.N %	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K %	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid ppm	Bicarb. ppm		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk .10	.78	.05	150	73	.30	175	21	1.1	1.6
.10	.60	.05	111	87	.28				
.20	.80	.06	130	88	.20				

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Marian
 SITE NO: MCL S27
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 714 900 mE 7 660 900 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.32
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 00 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
APsb	0 to .26 m	Brownish black (7.5YR5/1) moist; brownish grey (7.5YR5/1) dry; few fine faint brown mottles; sandy clay loam; moderately moist very weak. Clear; to-
B1sb	.26 to .40 m	Brownish grey (7.5YR4/1) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; light clay; moderately moist very weak; many manganiferous nodules. Abrupt; to-
B21	.40 to .75 m	Greyish brown (7.5YR4/2) moist; many fine distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; strong; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B22	.75 to 1.20 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR6/4) moist; yellowish grey (2.5Y6/1) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; light medium clay; strong; moderately moist moderately weak; few manganiferous nodules.

Depth	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S	C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres		mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	%	%	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	R1 R2
Bulk .10	5.7	.02	.001	17	54	19	13	9	1.4	.94	.10	.28	.039 1.69 .018	11.2	19 6 .66
.10	5.7	.02	.001	17	54	19	13	9	1.4	.94	.10	.28	.042 1.67 .017	11.3	
.20	5.9	.01	.001					9	2.9	1.2	.10	.07	.023 1.70 .011		
.40	6.1	.01	.001					15	6.1	3.1	.20	.14	.029 1.45 .018	3.6 31 18 .51	
.60	6.2	.02	.001	8	37	10	48	11	6.0	3.9	.20	.10	.025 1.59 .009	12.7 25 13 .48	
.90	6.4	.02	.001	12	47	13	31	12	6.8	5.0	.20	.11	.029 1.57 .006	12.8	
1.20	6.7	.01	.001	4	51	17	30								

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.
(M&B)	%	%	Acid Bicarb. ppm	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn ppm
Bulk .10	1.3	.11	50	37	33 220 40 1.0 2.2
.10	1.0	.10	70	46	.32
.20	.76	.05	11	10	.12

SOIL TYPE: Martin
 SITE NO: MCL S28
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 688 900 mE 7 666 700 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.11
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Ustochrept
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Igneous rocks
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 03 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Few cobbles

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .15 m	Brown (7.5YR4/3) moist; dull brown (7.5YR6/3) dry; clay loam; moderate; dry very firm. Clear; to-
B21	.15 to .45 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/4) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; few fine distinct red mottles; medium clay; moderate; dry very firm; few manganiferous nodules. Diffuse; to-
B3	.45 to .75 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/4) moist; many fine distinct grey mottles; few fine distinct red mottles; light clay; few rounded igneous rocks; weak; moderately moist very weak. Abrupt; to-
C	.75 to .80 m	Dry very weak.

Depth	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S	C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres		mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	%	%	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	R1 R2
Bulk .10	5.7	.03	.001	14	47	19	24	10	3.2	1.7	.10	.53	.034 0.56 .016	11.9	22 10 .68
.10	6.1	.03	.002	14	47	19	24	10	3.2	1.7	.10	.53	.033 0.60 .015	11.9	
.15	6.2	.02	.001					15	5.0	3.7	.10	1.1	.022 1.01 .018	3.3 29 17 .66	
.30	6.0	.03	.001	7	34	12	50	10	2.2	2.9	.15	.72	.015 2.14 .016	2.1 23 12 .64	
.60	5.6	.03	.002	5	53	10	34	8	2.1	3.0	.10	.43	.011 2.35 .011		
.80	5.9	.02	.002												

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.
(M&B)	%	%	Acid Bicarb. ppm	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn ppm
Bulk .10	1.1	.08	22	19	.61 158 27 1.0 2.1
.10	.98	.07	14	12	.37
.20	.72	.06	14	12	.55

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Benholme
 SITE NO: MCL S29
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 688 500 mE 7 662 100 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Grey clay
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Ug3.2
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Udothetic Chromustert
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

TYPE OF MICRORELIEF: Normal gilgai
 VERTICAL INTERVAL: 0.10 m
 HORIZONTAL INTERVAL: 1 m
 SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 00 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM: Woodland
 DOMINANT SPECIES: *Tristania sauveolens*; *Eucalyptus alba*; *Eucalyptus tessellaris*

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Firm

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A11sb	0 to .10 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; brownish grey (10YR6/1) dry; light medium clay; strong; dry moderately firm. Clear; to-
A12sb	.10 to .20 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; few fine distinct brown mottles; medium clay; strong; moderately moist very firm; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B21	.20 to .50 m	Dull yellow (2.5Y6/3) moist; few fine faint yellow mottles; few fine faint grey mottles; heavy clay; strong; moist very firm; few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B22	.50 to .90 m	Yellowish grey (2.5Y5/1) moist; heavy clay; strong; moist very firm; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B23	.90 to 1.20 m	Greyish yellow (2.5Y6/2) moist; few fine faint yellow mottles; heavy clay; strong; moderately moist very firm; many carbonate nodules; many manganiferous nodules.

Depth	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FB	S	C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	Total Elements	P	K	S	Moistures	ADM	1/3b	15b	Disp.	Ratio	
metres		mS/cm	%	%	%	%	%	meq/100g	meq/100g	meq/100g	meq/100g	meq/100g	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	R1	R2	
Bulk .10	5.7	.03	.002										.027	0.56	.029								
.10	5.8	.03	.001	6	19	36	43	25	8.3	4.2	.15	.64	.019	0.53	.021	3.9	35	16			.62		
.20	6.0	.02	.001														5.0						
.30	6.2	.02	.002	2	10	18	75	34	18	7.7	.95	.53	.013	0.45	.012	17.0	43	24			.69		
.60	6.4	.19	.031	2	9	22	72	39	25	10	2.1	15	.012	0.48	.008	17.9	44	25			.72		
.90	7.9	.43	.061	2	12	26	64	37	25	11	3.1	.09	.015	0.65	.008	17.1	42	22			.82		
1.20	8.4	.48	.064	2	20	33	51	30	19	8.7	3.0	.08	.023	0.92	.006	15.8							

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.	
(M&B)	%	%	Acid Bicarb. ppm	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn	
metres	%	%	ppm	meq/100g	ppm	
Bulk .10	2.3	.19	4	17	.52	265 199 1.5 2.6
.10	1.6	.13	3	9	.62	
.20	1.1	.09	3	4	.60	

SOIL TYPE: Dunwold
 SITE NO: MCL S30
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 684 400 mE 7 657 600 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Yellow podzolic soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: DyS.82
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Uitic Haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Granite
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 04 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Loose

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .10 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; brownish grey (10YR6/1) dry; light sandy clay loam; dry loose. Clear; to-
A2cb	.10 to .40 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR6/3) moist; dull yellowish orange (10YR7/2) dry; light sandy clay loam; dry loose. Abrupt; to-
A3	.40 to .50 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR7/6) moist; sandy clay loam; dry very weak. Abrupt; to-
B21	.50 to .70 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR7/6) moist; few fine distinct grey mottles; few fine distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; weak; moderately moist moderately weak. Clear; to-
B31	.70 to .95 m	Yellowish orange (10YR8/6) moist; sandy clay; dry very weak. Abrupt; to-
B32	.95 to 1.05 m	Light grey (5Y7/2) moist; common medium distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; weak; moderately moist moderately weak. Abrupt; to-
C	1.05 to 1.20 m	Yellowish orange (10YR8/6) moist; sandy clay; dry loose.

Depth	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FB	S	C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	Total Elements	P	K	S	Moistures	ADM	1/3b	15b	Disp.	Ratio	
metres		mS/cm	%	%	%	%	%	meq/100g	meq/100g	meq/100g	meq/100g	meq/100g	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	R1	R2	
Bulk .10	6.0	.05	.002										.027	1.25	.022								
.10	5.9	.03	.001	45	31	10	16	8	2.6	1.4	.10	.30	.024	1.26	.018	11.2	15	6			.54		
.20	6.2	.02	.001														10.9						
.30	6.2	.02	.001	45	32	13	16	6	1.8	1.1	.10	.29	.015	1.42	.010	11.0	12	5			.63		
.60	6.0	.03	.001	43	20	10	30	11	3.3	4.2	.15	.28	.011	2.05	.012	12.1	20	11			.72		
.90	6.8	.02	.001	60	19	5	19	9	2.6	6.5	.40	.04	.008	2.20	.004	11.8	13	6			.69		
1.20	7.4	.02	.002	47	25	13	16	9	2.9	6.3	.80	.03	.010	2.26	.003	11.8							

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.	
(M&B)	%	%	Acid Bicarb. ppm	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn	
metres	%	%	ppm	meq/100g	ppm	
Bulk .10	1.4	.12	23	21	.49	156 42 0.5 1.5
.10	1.0	.11	26	24	.38	
.20	.58	.06	5	6	.33	

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Kuttabul; alluvial-colluvial variant
 SITE NO: MCL S31
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 704 900 mE 7 663 200 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Yellow podzolic soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy2.41
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Ultic Haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 02 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating plains

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .05 m	Brownish grey (7.5YR4/1) moist; brownish grey (7.5YR6/1) dry; sandy clay loam; moderately moist very weak. Abrupt; to-
A2cb	.05 to .25 m	Brownish grey (7.5YR4/1) moist; light brownish grey (7.5YR7/1) dry; few fine distinct brown mottles; sandy clay loam; dry very weak. Clear; to-
B21	.25 to .55 m	Dull yellow (2.5Y6/4) moist; few fine faint grey mottles; medium clay; few subangular quartz; moderate; moderately moist moderately weak; few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B22	.55 to .80 m	Light grey (2.5Y7/1) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; few fine distinct red mottles; heavy clay; few subangular quartz; strong; moist moderately firm; very few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B3	.80 to 1.20 m	Greyish white (N8/0) moist; bright yellowish brown (10YR6/8) moist; common fine prominent red mottles; medium heavy clay; few subangular quartz; strong; moist very firm.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 10SC	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 10SC	
Bulk .5	6.0 .02 .001			.018 0.22 .016		
.05	6.0 .02 .001	31 43 13 16	7 1.8 1.1 .10 .12	.015 0.23 .015	10.9 19 4	.54
.20	6.2 .01 .001				10.7	
.35	5.8 .01 .001	35 25 10 34	10 2.0 2.0 .10 .07	.013 0.26 .011	12.3 19 10	.47
.70	6.0 .01 .001		14 2.3 2.7 .25 .09	.013 0.38 .010	13.4	
.90	6.2 .01 .001	29 32 7 34	11 1.7 2.6 .25 .08	.011 0.29 .006	12.3 21 11	.76
1.20	6.4 .01 .001	35 23 6 37	15 3.0 4.8 .45 .11	.011 0.46 .005	12.9	

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.
(W&B)	%	%	Acid Bicarb.	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn
metres	%	%	ppm	m.eq%	ppm
Bulk .10	1.4	.10	11 13	.17	160 37 0.5 1.4
.10	1.3	.10	5 7	.11	
.20	.64	.04	3 4	.04	

SOIL TYPE: Kinchant; coarse sandy variant
 SITE NO: MCL S32
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 689 900 mE 7 659 700 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Gleyed podzolic soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy5.S1
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Haplustult
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 02 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating plains

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM: Woodland
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Eucalyptus intermedia; Eucalyptus tessellaris; Melaleuca nervosa

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Loose

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1sb	0 to .03 m	Brownish black (10YR3/1) moist; brownish grey (7.5YR6/1) dry; light sandy clay loam; dry loose. Abrupt; to-
A21cb	.03 to .50 m	Brownish grey (10YR5/1) moist; light grey (10YR7/1) dry; loamy coarse sand; dry loose. Clear; to-
A22cb	.50 to .60 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) moist; light grey (10YR8/1) dry; sandy clay loam; fine sandy; moderately moist very weak. Clear; to-
B21	.60 to .70 m	Dull yellow (2.5Y6/3) moist; few medium distinct grey mottles; few fine distinct yellow mottles; sandy clay; weak; moderately moist moderately weak. Clear; to-
B22	.70 to .85 m	Greyish yellow (2.5Y6/2) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; light medium clay; weak; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
(D1)	.85 to 1.00 m	Light grey (10YR7/1) moist; many fine distinct yellow mottles; sandy clay; weak; moderately moist moderately firm; many manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
(D2)	1.00 to 1.20 m	Light grey (2.5Y7/1) moist; bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; few fine prominent red mottles; light medium clay; weak; moderately moist moderately weak; very few manganiferous nodules.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 10SC	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 10SC	
Bulk .3	6.1 .03 .001			.014 0.34 .015		
.03	6.1 .02 .001	70 21 4 6	4 1.2 .73 .45 .11	.014 0.35 .014	10.6 9 3	.32
.20	6.3 .01 .001				10.3	
.30	6.5 .01 .001	63 28 4 6	1 .29 .10 .10 .14	.006 0.39 .004	10.2 5 1	.61
.60	6.2 .01 .001	60 26 4 12	4 .17 .19 .10 .25	.006 0.40 .004	10.7 8 3	.60
.80	5.6 .01 .001			.007 0.33 .007		
.90	5.5 .01 .001	58 16 3 27	5 .32 .80 .10 .08	.010 0.32 .010	11.5 13 8	.35
1.20	5.6 .01 .001	66 10 3 23	4 .19 .72 .10 .05	.007 0.33 .005	11.2	

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.
(W&B)	%	%	Acid Bicarb.	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn
metres	%	%	ppm	m.eq%	ppm
Bulk .10	1.0	.08	3 5	.27	97 37 0.2 2.8
.10	.72	.07	4 5	.12	
.20	.44	.02	2 2	.10	

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Allendale, strongly sodic variant
 SITE NO: MCL S33
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 699 800 mE 7 654 400 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Solodized solonetz
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy2.43
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Natrustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 01 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating plains

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
	0 to .02 m	Loami moderately moist very weak. Abrupt, to-
A1sb	.02 to .10 m	Grayish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; few fine faint brown mottles; sandy loami moderately moist very weak. Clear, to-
A21sb	.10 to .16 m	Brownish grey (10YR6/1) moist; few fine faint brown mottles; sandy loami moderately moist very weak. Clear, to-
A22cb	.16 to .19 m	Light grey (10YR7/1) dry; sandy loami moderately moist very weak. Abrupt, to-
B21	.19 to .50 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/4) moist; sandy clay; strong 50-100mm columnar massive; dry moderately strong. Gradual, to-
B22	.50 to .85 m	Grey (5Y6/1) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; few subangular unspecified coarse fragments; dry very firm. Abrupt, to-
D	.85 to 1.20 m	Light yellow (5Y7/4) moist; sandy clay loam; fine sandy; many subangular unspecified coarse fragments; dry massive moderately cemented.

Depth	pH	EC	Cl	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres		mS/cm	%	CS FS S C % @ 105C	Ca Mg Na K m.eq/100g	P K S %	ADM 1/3b 15b % @ 105C	R1 R2
Bulk .10	5.7	.03	.002			.006 .07 .008		
.02	4.9	.18	.007	39 23 14 21	27 2.6 2.1 .65 .68	.055 .16 .086	13.6 46 24	.30
.10	5.2	.03	.002	35 44 9 16	9 .85 .64 .23 .26	.010 .09 .010	11.0 13 5	.59
.19	6.1	.02	.003				10.5	
.30	8.7	.11	.006	34 37 9 23	8 .35 .91 5.3 .10	.007 .07 .009	11.3 16 9	.86
.50	9.8	.20	.009	29 35 6 31	10 .31 1.3 9.4 .12	.004 .12 .003	12.1 29 13	.96
.85	9.8	.17	.008	27 32 6 38	16 .31 .98 11 .16	.002 .32 .001	12.9 45 19	.95
1.20	9.7	.14	.009	31 25 12 33	23 .23 1.4 20 .20	.002 .72 .005	15.7	

Depth	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep. DTPA-extr.
metres	%	%	Acid Bicarb. ppm	K Fe Mn Cu Zn m.eq% ppm
Bulk .10	.76		3 6	.26 214 6 0.1 0.2
.02	6.6	.88	25 33	.64
.10	1.3	.09	3 6	.18
.20	.26	.02	2 3	.06

SOIL TYPE: Kinchant
 SITE NO: MCL S34
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 695 800 mE 7 657 200 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Soloth
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy5.41
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Natrustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 01 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating plains

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM: Woodland
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Melaleuca nervosa, Eucalyptus alba, Eucalyptus intermedia

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Loose

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .20 m	Yellowish grey (2.5Y4/1) moist; yellowish grey (2.5Y6/1) dry; loamy sand; dry loose. Gradual, to-
A21cb	.20 to .35 m	Light grey (2.5Y7/1) dry; loamy sand; dry loose. Gradual, to-
A22cb	.35 to .50 m	Light grey (2.5Y8/2) dry; loamy sand; dry loose. Abrupt, to-
B21	.50 to .80 m	Yellowish brown (10YR5/6) moist; grey (5Y6/1) moist; medium heavy clay; strong 10-20mm angular blocky; moderately moist very firm; very few manganiferous nodules. Gradual, to-
B22	.80 to 1.05 m	Light grey (2.5Y7/1) moist; many fine distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; moderately moist very firm; very few manganiferous nodules. Clear, to-
B23	1.05 to 1.20 m	Light grey (2.5Y7/1) moist; many fine distinct brown mottles; light medium clay; few rounded unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist very firm.

Depth	pH	EC	Cl	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres		mS/cm	%	CS FS S C % @ 105C	Ca Mg Na K m.eq/100g	P K S %	ADM 1/3b 15b % @ 105C	R1 R2
Bulk .10	5.4	.02	.001			.005 .08 .006		
.10	5.6	.01	.001	39 50 7 10	4 .57 .48 .20 .13	.005 .07 .005	10.5 7 2	.35
.20	5.3	.01	.001				10.4	
.30	5.5	.01	.001	43 47 5 8	2 .19 .16 .10 .75	.002 .07 .001	10.3 5 1	.55
.50	5.7	.01	.001					
.60				37 28 2 36	10 .08 2.0 1.2 .14	.004 .13 .004	12.0 21 13	.81
.90	5.4	.07	.009	34 34 5 29	11 .26 3.8 2.1 .11	.002 .22 .002	12.3 23 11	.89
1.20	5.2	.22	.035	15 40 18 31	26 .45 10 6.6 .18	.005 .72 .021	14.7	

Depth	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep. DTPA-extr.
metres	%	%	Acid Bicarb. ppm	K Fe Mn Cu Zn m.eq% ppm
Bulk .10	.84	.05	3 4	.10 132 9 0.1 1.1
.10	.66	.04	2 3	.10
.20	.38	.03	2 3	.11

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Allandale
 SITE NO: MCL 535
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 697 400 mE 7 654 000 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Soloth
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.31
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Aquic Natrustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 00 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating plains
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM: Woodland
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Melaleuca nervosa; Eucalyptus alba

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1sb	0 to .15 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; light sandy clay loam; moderately moist very weak. Clear; to-
B21	.15 to .50 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/3) moist; many fine distinct yellow mottles; few fine distinct grey mottles; medium heavy clay; moderately moist very firm; few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B22	.50 to .95 m	Dull yellow (2.5Y6/3) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; few fine distinct grey mottles; medium heavy clay; moderately moist very firm; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
D1	.95 to 1.05 m	Dull yellow (2.5Y6/3) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; moderately moist very firm; few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
D2	1.05 to 1.20 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR7/4) moist; sandy clay loam; moderately moist moderately weak.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC C1	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
Bulk .10	5.5 .05 .004			.007 .05 .008		
.10	5.5 .02 .002	62 21 10 13	5 1.2 1.1 .12 .11	.006 .07 .007	0.9 11 3	.61
.20	5.2 .02 .002					
.30	5.3 .02 .001	41 13 3 45	19 3 5.6 .80 .08	.005 .02 .005	4.5 24 14	.86
.60	5.2 .13 .016	39 15 8 42	23 5.3 9.7 1.5 .07	.003 .03 .003	14.7 24 15	.93
.90	5.7 .44 .069	33 15 10 46	27 7.1 15 3.1 .07	.001 .09 .002	5.2 32 17	.90
1.20	7.0 .31 .048	35 48 10 11	33 13 20 8.0 .07	.034 .52 .002	5.7	

Depth	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.
metres	%	%	Acid Bicarb.	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn
			ppm	m.eq%	ppm
Bulk .10	1.0	.07	6	6	.25 171 29 0.3 0.8
.10	.82	.06	4	6	.09
.20	.56	.04	2	3	.06

SOIL TYPE: Tannaio
 SITE NO: MCL 536
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 692 100 mE 7 651 500 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Gm2.21
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Ustochrept
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 02 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating plains
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .20 m	Brownish black (5YR3/1) moist; brownish grey (7.5YR5/1) dry; coarse sandy loam; moderately moist very weak. Diffuse; to-
A2	.20 to .60 m	Dull reddish brown (5YR4/4) moist; greyish brown (7.5YR6/2) dry; coarse sandy loam; earthy; moderately moist very weak. Gradual; to-
B21	.60 to .85 m	Dull reddish brown (5YR5/4) moist; sandy clay loam; fine sandy; earthy; moderately moist very weak. Gradual; to-
D	.85 to 1.20 m	Dull reddish brown (5YR5/4) moist; coarse sandy loam; few subangular unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist very weak.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC C1	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
Bulk .10	5.6 .02 .002			.030 1.86 .009		
.10	5.7 .02 .001	54 28 10 13	7 2.3 .83 .10 .23	.032 1.88 .007	11.1 14 4	.77
.20	5.6 .01 .007					
.30	5.5 .01 .001	46 32 10 13	4 1.9 .62 .10 .12	.030 1.85 .005	10.8 13 4	.85
.60	5.8 .01 .001	43 35 10 17	4 2.0 .60 .10 .28	.031 1.89 .005	10.9 12 4	.68
.85	5.8 .01 .001	46 32 9 18	5 2.9 .89 .10 .18	.032 1.91 .003	11.3 14 6	.69
1.20	6.0 .01 .001	64 21 3 31	4 2.6 .97 .10 .13	.023 1.87 .003	11.0	

Depth	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.
metres	%	%	Acid Bicarb.	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn
			ppm	m.eq%	ppm
Bulk .10	.86	.06	46	22	.27 60 36 0.3 1.5
.10	.80	.05	44	20	.25
.20	.72	.06	39	17	.16

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Gargett
 SITE NO: MCL 537
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 684 200 mE 7 650 300 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Gleyed podzolic soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy5.82
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Arenic haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 02 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating plains

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .15 m	Brownish grey (10YR5/1) moist; brownish grey (10YR6/1) moist; sandy loam; moderately moist loose. Gradual; to-
A21cb	.15 to .45 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) moist; light grey (10YR8/1) moist; sandy loam; moderately moist loose. Clear; to-
A22cb	.45 to .55 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR6/4) moist; light grey (10YR8/1) dry; sandy loam; few angular unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist loose. Abrupt; to-
B21	.55 to .85 m	Yellowish grey (2.5Y6/1) moist; many fine distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
D1	.85 to 1.10 m	Light grey (2.5Y7/1) moist; light yellow (2.5Y7/4) moist; few medium distinct grey mottles; few medium distinct yellow mottles; sandy clay; few subangular unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist moderately weak; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
D2	1.10 to 1.20 m	Light grey (2.5Y7/1) moist; few fine distinct grey mottles; few fine distinct yellow mottles; sandy clay; few subangular unspecified coarse fragments; wet moderately weak; few manganiferous nodules.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
Bulk .10	5.6 .01 .001			.011 1.70 .006		
.10	5.5 .01 .001	37 46 8 10	4 1.4 .68 .10 .15	.008 1.64 .005	10 7 3	.68
.20	5.4 .01 .001				10.6	
.30	5.5 .01 .001	39 45 10 10	2 .99 .23 .10 .08	.006 1.74 .008	10 5 10	2 .63
.55	6.1 .01 .001	36 45 8 12	2 1.2 .50 .10 .07	.006 1.75 .006	10 7 9	3 .60
.85	6.4 .02 .001	33 39 8 23	9 4.6 2.5 .65 .10	.006 1.65 .006	12.1 19 8	.81
1.10	6.1 .02 .001	46 29 7 20	8 4.1 2.2 .63 .12	.016 1.89 .006	12.1	

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.	
(M&B)	Acid	Bicarb.	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn		
metres	%	%	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	
Bulk .10	.76	.05	3	3	.17	35 17 0.1 0.5
.10	.58	.05	3	2	.13	
.20	.46	.03	2	2	.08	

SOIL TYPE: Pinnacle
 SITE NO: MCL 538
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 676 300 mE 7 660 700 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Igneous rocks
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Krasnozem
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Uf5.31
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Tropeptic Haplustox
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 04 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .10 m	Dark reddish grey (2.5YR3/1) moist; dull reddish brown (2.5YR4/3) dry; light clay; moderate (2mm granular) moderately moist moderately firm. Gradual; to-
A12	.10 to .40 m	Dark reddish grey (2.5YR3/1) moist; light clay; moderate (2mm granular) moderately moist moderately firm. Diffuse; to-
B21	.40 to 1.00 m	Dark reddish brown (2.5YR3/6) moist; light clay; moderate 10-20mm angular blocky strong 2-5mm subangular blocky; moderately moist moderately firm; very few manganiferous nodules. Diffuse; to-
B3	1.00 to 1.20 m	Red (10R4/8) moist; clay loam; moderate 10-20mm angular blocky strong 2-5mm subangular blocky; moderately moist moderately firm; very few manganiferous nodules.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
Bulk .10	4.8 .06 .002			.046 .15 .030		
.10	5.1 .04 .004	20 21 10 51	23 1.1 .91 .10 .73	.052 .22 .030	13.3 30 19	.50
.20	5.2 .02 .002				13.3	
.30	5.3 .02 .001	16 27 10 48	19 1.9 .89 .10 .25	.038 .09 .030	13.4 28 18	.36
.60	5.4 .01 .001	8 13 8 72	8 2.0 .82 .10 .16	.026 .07 .030	13.2 33 25	.18
.90	4.9 .01 .002	6 10 11 76	10 1.8 1.0 .10 .13	.025 .04 .029	13.7 38 28	.15
1.20	5.3 .01 .003	3 9 17 75	8 1.0 .68 .10 .10	.021 .05 .028	13.3	

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.	
(M&B)	Acid	Bicarb.	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn		
metres	%	%	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	
Bulk .10	2.1	.12	16	23	.26	33 121 1.1 0.5
.10	2.6	.15	14	18	.63	
.20	2.0	.11	7	5	.38	

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Netherdale
 SITE NO: MCL 539
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 673 100 mE 7 660 800 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Uf6.4
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Ustorthent
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Syenite
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 18 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Rolling rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM: Open woodland
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Eucalyptus intermedia, Eucalyptus tessellaris,
 Eucalyptus crebra

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Few gravel

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Firm

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .10 m	Brown (7.5YR4/3) moist; light clay; strong 2-5mm granular; moderately moist moderately weak. Clear; to-
B3	.10 to .25 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/4) moist; common fine distinct pale mottles; light clay; moderate 20-50mm prismatic weak 10-20mm angular blocky; moderately moist moderately weak. Gradual; to-
C1	.25 to .50 m	Sandy clay loam; moderately moist very weak. Diffuse; to-
C2	.50 to 1.05 m	Sandy loam; moderately moist loose. Diffuse; to-
C3	1.05 to 1.20 m	Sandy loam; few angular quartz; moderately moist loose.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations					Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio	
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM 1/3b	15b	R1	R2	
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	%	%	%	% @ 105C	%	%	%	
Bulk .10	5.4	.02	.002	20	21	20	21	8.1	6.2	.15	.29	.043	1.04	.020	4.5	29	19	.58	
.10	5.4	.02	.002	20	21	20	21	8.1	6.2	.15	.29	.043	1.02	.020	4.5	29	19	.58	
.20	5.5	.01	.001	31	26	14	31	16	9.8	6.0	.25	.13	.076	1.02	.013	4.1	28	15	.49
.35	5.8	.01	.001	44	30	10	17	11	11	5.9	.26	.10	.105	1.02	.010	3.7	22	11	.49
.60	6.3	.01	.001	56	27	7	13	9	11	5.4	.29	.09	.118	.96	.007	3.2	15	8	.52
.90	6.4	.01	.001	65	22	4	10	10	11	5.2	.25	.10	.155	1.29	.007	3.1			
1.20	6.7	.01	.001																

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B) %	Tot.N %	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K m.eq/100g	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid ppm	Bicarb. ppm		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk .10	1.6	.11	8	10	.32	.65	13	0.9	0.7
.10	1.3	.10	5	7	.26				
.20	.68	.08	6	7	.18				

SOIL TYPE: Uruba
 SITE NO: MCL 540
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 669 000 mE 7 662 300 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Yellow podzolic soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy2.72
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Paleustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Granodiorite
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 16 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Rolling rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Few cobbles

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .15 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; brownish grey (10YR6/1) dry; sandy clay loam; dry moderately weak. Clear; to-
A2sb	.15 to .25 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/3) moist; sandy clay loam; dry moderately weak. Clear; to-
B21	.25 to .55 m	Bright brown (7.5YR5/6) moist; few fine distinct pale mottles; light medium clay; weak 20-50mm angular blocky; moderately moist moderately weak. Gradual; to-
C	.55 to 1.20 m	Loamy sand; moderately moist loose.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations					Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio	
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM 1/3b	15b	R1	R2	
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	%	%	%	% @ 105C	%	%	%	
Bulk .10	6.1	.02	.002	36	34	13	20	9	4.5	1.4	.10	.20	.025	3.15	.021	1.7	18	7	.56
.10	5.9	.02	.001	33	28	11	31	8	3.7	1.7	.10	.10	.009	3.18	.010	2.2	20	11	.63
.25	5.8	.01	.001	31	26	14	34	9	3.8	2.1	.10	.10	.010	2.86	.011	2.6	24	13	.36
.35	5.8	.01	.001	52	32	6	11	6	3.3	1.9	.10	.08	.033	2.95	.006	1.6	13	5	.53
.90	6.4	.01	.001	55	30	7	10	6	3.9	2.22	.05	.054	2.96	.006	1.5				
1.20	6.3	.01	.001																

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B) %	Tot.N %	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K m.eq/100g	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid ppm	Bicarb. ppm		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk .10	2.3	.11	14	12	.41	.63	26	0.5	2.0
.10	1.4	.09	5	4	.24				
.20	.64	.06	2	2	.10				

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Kowari
 SITE NO: MCL 541
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 661 500 mE 7 661 600 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Um5.52
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Haplumbrept
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 03 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating plains

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Abundant cobbles

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Firm

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .40 m	Black (10YR2/1) moist; brownish grey (7.5YR4/1) dry; loam; many subangular unspecified coarse fragments; moderate (2mm granular) moderately moist very weak. Diffuse; to-
B21	.40 to .75 m	Brownish black (7.5YR3/2) moist; loam; abundant subangular unspecified coarse fragments; weak 2-5mm granular; moderately moist very weak.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	% @ 105C		m.eq/100g					%	%	% @ 105C					
Bulk .10	5.9	.04	.002	29	25	18	31	42	8.1	2.9	.10	.71	.172	1.38	.046	5.0	41	20	.24
.10	5.7	.04	.003	33	26	16	29	40	6.8	1.7	.10	.71	.224	1.30	.056	4.9			
.20	5.5	.02	.002	33	26	16	29	40	6.8	1.7	.10	.71	.224	1.25	.051	4.8	34	18	.15
.30	5.5	.02	.002	35	29	15	25	29	2.8	.69	.10	.49	.152	1.29	.044	4.8	35	16	.22
.40	5.5	.01	.001																
.75	5.6	.01	.001																

Depth metres	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Acid	Phosphorus	Rep. K	DTPA-extr.			
	(M&B) %	%	ppm	Bicarb. ppm	m.eq%	Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk .10	4.9	.25	342	144	1.0	134	17	1.5	1.8
.10	6.4	.27	318	198	.64				
.20	4.8	.28	222	204	.68				

SOIL TYPE: Finch Hatton
 SITE NO: MCL 542
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 677 400 mE 7 663 400 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Uf6.31
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Ustochrept
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Granodiorite
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 04 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .20 m	Black (10YR2/1) moist; light clay; dry very firm. Gradual; to-
B21	.20 to .30 m	Dark reddish brown (5YR3/3) moist; dull reddish brown (5YR4/4) moist; medium clay; dry very firm; very few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B22	.30 to .50 m	Brown (7.5YR4/6) moist; few fine distinct red mottles; medium clay; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B23	.50 to .80 m	Bright brown (7.5YR5/6) moist; light medium clay; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
BC	.80 to 1.05 m	Orange (7.5YR6/6) moist; medium clay; moderately moist moderately firm. Gradual; to-
C	1.05 to 1.20 m	Sandy clay loam; moderately moist very weak.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	% @ 105C		m.eq/100g					%	%	% @ 105C					
Bulk .10	5.2	.03	.002	23	27	9	41	23	4.1	2.0	.10	.30	.061	.80	.025	3.9	25	15	.51
.10	5.3	.02	.002	14	18	10	59	19	5.9	1.9	.12	.10	.030	.41	.022	4.4	35	24	.32
.20	5.3	.02	.002	15	18	17	53	18	5.5	1.9	.15	.08	.022	.27	.015	5.0	40	25	.38
.30	5.5	.02	.001	23	27	17	34	16	8.9	3.9	.21	.06	.015	.42	.007	4.4	29	20	.23
.50	5.8	.02	.001	36	35	7	24	17	12.5	5.3	.20	.05	.048	.46	.006	4.3			
.90	6.2	.01	.001																
1.20	6.3	.01	.001																

Depth metres	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Acid	Phosphorus	Rep. K	DTPA-extr.			
	(M&B) %	%	ppm	Bicarb. ppm	m.eq%	Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk .10	1.8	.12	17	20	.41	92	60	1.5	1.0
.10	2.0	.11	14	15	.27				
.20	2.0	.11	11	12	.13				

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Pioneer
 SITE NO: MCL S43
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 715 600 mE 7 658 300 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Non-caliche brown soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dd2.51
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Pachic Hapluobrept
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 01 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE: Level
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .50 m	Brownish black (7.5YR3/1) moist; brownish grey (7.5YR5/1) dry; sandy clay loam; moderately moist moderately weak. Gradual; to-
A3	.50 to .65 m	Greyish brown (7.5YR4/2) moist; sandy clay loam; moderately moist moderately weak. Gradual; to-
B21	.65 to 1.00 m	Brown (7.5YR4/4) moist; many medium distinct dark mottles; few fine distinct yellow mottles; light medium clay; moderately moist moderately weak; few manganiferous soft segregations. Diffuse; to-
D	1.00 to 1.20 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/4) moist; sandy clay; moderately moist moderately weak; few manganiferous soft segregations.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 10SC	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 10SC	
Bulk .10	4.8 .04 .002	10 55 16 17	14 2.2 1 .10 .32	.042 1.42 .009	1.8	
.10	4.8 .06 .003	10 55 16 17	14 2.2 1 .10 .32	.042 1.42 .009	1.8	22 8 .82
.20	4.9 .06 .003	10 55 16 17	14 2.2 1 .10 .32	.042 1.42 .009	1.8	
.30	4.9 .03 .002	10 55 15 18	14 1.8 .78 .10 .16	.040 1.37 .010	1.9	22 9 .75
.60	5.0 .05 .002	10 58 13 20	12 3.2 1 .10 .18	.036 1.55 .011	2.0	21 10 .64
.90	5.7 .03 .001	8 49 13 31	14 6.2 3.2 .15 .11	.032 1.44 .013	3.1	28 14 .34
1.20	6.1 .03 .002	13 57 10 20	9 5.4 3.5 .15 .08	.027 1.55 .006	2.1	

Depth	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep. DTPA-extr.	
metres	%	%	Acid Bicarb. ppm	K Fe Mn Cu Zn ppm	
Bulk .10	1.0	.08	74	65	.36 130 75 1.1 1.6
.10	1.1	.08	85	64	.38 120 81 1.0 1.3
.20	1.0	.07	58	16	.28

SOIL TYPE: Marwood
 SITE NO: MCL S44
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 721 200 mE 7 644 700 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Tuff
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Podzol
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Uc3.21
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Spodosol
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 03 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM: Woodland
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Eucalyptus intermedia; Melaleuca viridiflora

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Loose

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .05 m	Brownish black (7.5YR3/1) moist; brownish grey (10YR5/1) dry; loamy coarse sand; moderately moist loose. Clear; to-
A12ab	.05 to .45 m	Brownish grey (10YR4/1) moist; loamy coarse sand; moderately moist loose. Clear; to-
B21hr	.45 to .55 m	Brown (7.5YR4/3) moist; loamy coarse sand; few subangular quartz; moderately moist loose. Clear; to-
2A21b	.55 to .95 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR7/2) moist; few medium prominent dark mottles; coarse sand; few subangular quartz; moderately moist loose. Clear; to-
2A22b	.95 to 1.10 m	Light grey (10YR7/1) moist; few fine prominent yellow mottles; coarse sand; few subangular quartz; moist loose. Abrupt; to-
2B21	1.10 to 1.20 m	Light grey (10YR7/1) moist; brownish grey (7.5YR6/1) dry; few fine distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; few subangular quartz; moist moderately weak.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 10SC	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 10SC	
Bulk .10	5.8 .01 .001	55 39 1 5	2 .67 .52 .10 .06	.007 0.47 .005	10.3	
.05	5.8 .02 .001	55 39 1 5	2 .67 .52 .10 .06	.007 0.47 .005	10.3	6 1 .46
.20	5.8 .01 .001	55 39 1 5	2 .67 .52 .10 .06	.007 0.47 .005	10.3	
.30	5.6 .01 .001	64 30 2 1	2 .06 .05 .10 .03	.010 0.45 .004	10.2	4 1 .22
.55	5.5 .01 .001	68 25 2 2	2 .05 .06 .10 .03	.013 0.56 .006	10.5	6 2 .15
.90	5.4 .01 .001	67 25 1 4	1 .21 .40 .10 .03	.005 0.40 .002	10.2	4 1 .99
1.10	5.4 .01 .001	66 11 3 17	3 .07 .67 .10 .03	.007 0.52 .004	10.8	
1.20	5.2 .01 .001	66 11 3 17	3 .07 .67 .10 .03	.007 0.52 .004	10.8	

Depth	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep. DTPA-extr.	
metres	%	%	Acid Bicarb. ppm	K Fe Mn Cu Zn ppm	
Bulk .10	.46	.04	5	5	.09 19 7 0.1 0.4
.10	.56	.03	3	4	.10 15 8 0.2 0.5
.20	.36	.03	2	3	.07

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Mumbura
 SITE NO: MCL S45
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 723 000 mE 7 640 800 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: Red podzolic soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dr4.81
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Paleustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Tuff
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 04 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Very few gravel

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .15 m	Brownish black (7.5YR3/1) moist; brownish grey (10YR5/1) dry; sandy loam; few subangular quartz; moderately moist loose. Clear; to-
A2cb	.15 to .35 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/3) moist; light grey (10YR7/1) dry; loamy sand; many subangular quartz; moderately moist loose. Abrupt; to-
B21	.35 to .70 m	Red (10R4/8) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; light clay; few subangular quartz; moderately moist moderately weak. Gradual; to-
B22	.70 to 1.10 m	Red (10R4/8) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; light clay; few subangular quartz; moderately moist moderately weak. Clear; to-
BC	1.10 to 1.20 m	Red (10R4/8) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; light clay; few subangular quartz; moderately moist moderately weak.

Depth metres	Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations					Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio	
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	%	%	m.eq/100g					%	%	% @ 105C					
Bulk .10	5.4	.02	.001																
.10	5.6	.03	.001	59	29	4 7	6	.61	.44	.10	.19	.014	1.14	.011	10.6	9	3	.71	
.20	5.4	.02	.001																
.30	5.3	.01	.001	56	30	6 6	3	.21	.04	.10	.08	.009	1.46	.006	10.4	7	2	.69	
.60	5.1	.02	.002	35	16	10 38	6	1.2	1.8	.10	.06	.007	1.09	.009	11.7	24	15	.01	
.90	5.1	.02	.002	29	21	14 38	6	.90	2.0	.10	.08	.007	1.33	.012	11.9	24	14	.04	
1.20	5.1	.02	.002	24	22	14 39	7	.67	2.2	.10	.10	.006	1.70	.011	12.1				

Depth metres	Org. C (M&B) %	Tot. N %	Extr. Acid ppm	Phosphorus		Rep. K m.eq%	DTPA-extr.				
				Bicarb. ppm	K		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn	
Bulk .10	.70	.08	3	6	.24	47	35	0.1	0.5		
.10	1.0	.09	5	9	.32	44	38	0.1	0.6		
.20	.74	.03	3	6	.17						

SOIL TYPE: Dundula
 SITE NO: MCL S46
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 723 800 mE 7 653 000 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: Grey clay
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Ug5.2
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Udothentic Pellustert
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 00 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Eucalyptus tereticornis
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Periodic cracking; poached

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .05 m	Brownish grey (10YR4/1) moist; greyish yellow-brown (10YR5/2) dry; common fine distinct brown mottles; light medium clay; moderately moist moderately firm. Clear; to-
A2sb	.05 to .20 m	Brownish grey (10YR4/1) moist; common fine distinct brown mottles; light medium clay; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganese nodules. Clear; to-
B21	.20 to .40 m	Brownish grey (10YR5/1) moist; many fine distinct brown mottles; medium clay; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganese nodules. Gradual; to-
B22	.40 to .65 m	Yellowish grey (2.5Y6/1) moist; common fine distinct brown mottles; heavy clay; moderately moist very firm. Clear; to-
D1	.65 to .90 m	Grey (N6/0) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; heavy clay; moderately moist very firm; few manganese nodules. Gradual; to-
D2	.90 to 1.20 m	Grey (10Y6/1) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; few fine distinct grey mottles; medium heavy clay; moist; very few manganese nodules.

Depth metres	Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations					Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio	
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	%	%	m.eq/100g					%	%	% @ 105C					
Bulk .10	5.4	.07	.007																
.05	5.5	.05	.003	22	34	18 31	21	4.3	5.5	.30	.48	.024	0.92	.028	13.1	28	13	.57	
.20	6.0	.02	.001																
.30	5.8	.04	.003	11	33	17 43	23	4.8	8.0	.99	.23	.011	0.89	.010	14.5	30	16	.64	
.60	5.6	.31	.053	7	30	17 50	23	4.8	11.2	2.5	.23	.010	0.90	.014	14.6	35	19	.92	
.90	6.9	.73	.122	8	23	18 53	33	7.0	30.5	5.6	.30	.009	0.89	.016	16.2	41	21	.99	
1.20	7.5	1.2	.181	6	20	18 61	33	7.4	32.7	7.1	.37	.009	0.98	.022	16.6				

Depth metres	Org. C (M&B) %	Tot. N %	Extr. Acid ppm	Phosphorus		Rep. K m.eq%	DTPA-extr.				
				Bicarb. ppm	K		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn	
Bulk .10	1.2	.10	5	7	.39	66	122	1.9	1.2		
.10	2.0	.17	5	13	.47	110	206	2.6	1.8		
.20	.82	.07	2	4	.20						

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Balberna
 SITE NO: MCL 847
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 721 000 mE 7 638 900 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Soloth
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.42
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Natrustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 00 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES: Tristania sauveolens; Eucalyptus alba; Melaleuca viridiflora

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1sb	0 to .10 m	Dark greyish yellow (2.5Y5/2) moist; clay loam; fine sandy; moderately moist; moderately weak. Gradual; to-
A2cb	.10 to .35 m	Greyish yellow (2.5Y7/2) moist; few medium faint yellow mottles; clay loam; fine sandy; moderately moist; moderately weak. Clear; to-
B21	.35 to .65 m	Greyish yellow (2.5Y6/2) moist; dull yellow (2.5Y6/4) moist; medium clay; few subangular unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist; moderately firm. Diffuse; to-
B22	.65 to 1.00 m	Dull yellow (2.5Y6/4) moist; greyish yellow (2.5Y6/2) moist; medium clay; moderately moist; moderately firm. Diffuse; to-
B23	1.00 to 1.20 m	Yellowish grey (2.5Y6/1) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; moderately moist; moderately firm; very few manganiferous soft segregations.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size					Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio	
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S	C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	% @ 105C	%	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	%	%	%	%	% @ 105C	% @ 105C			
Bulk .10	5.7	.02	.003	13	54	28	14	7	1.9	1.4	.12	.13	.011	0.43	.011	11.1	23	5	.82	
.10	6.0	.02	.002	10	51	27	20	6	85	1.2	.30	.65	.070	0.44	.006	11.3	19	7	.87	
.20	5.8	.01	.001	9	35	14	45	18	4.5	4.9	1.3	.15	.008	0.55	.004	13.8	28	15	.85	
.30	5.7	.03	.004	6	41	23	35	18	7.1	7.0	2.1	.10	.006	0.69	.003	13.9	29	15	.99	
.40	5.8	.09	.013	9	30	24	42	18	7.5	7.3	2.8	.08	.007	0.55	.002	13.8				
.90	6.7	.20	.029																	
1.20																				

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep.	DTPA-extr.				
			Acid	Bicarb.		K	Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
	%	%	ppm	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
Bulk .10	1.3	.09	4	6	.16	82	48	0.6	0.8	
.10	1.1	.09	3	8	.13	79	52	0.6	1.5	
.20	.50	.05	2	5	.07					

SOIL TYPE: Sunnyside
 SITE NO: MCL 848
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 721 400 mE 7 638 400 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.43
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SLOPE: 00 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1cb	0 to .22 m	Brownish grey (10YR5/1) moist; light grey (10YR7/1) dry; silty clay loam; moderately moist; moderately weak. Abrupt; to-
B21	.22 to .80 m	Light grey (2.5Y7/1) moist; yellowish brown (10YR5/6) moist; medium heavy clay; moderately moist; very firm; very few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B22	.80 to 1.20 m	Yellowish grey (2.5Y4/1) moist; common fine distinct yellow mottles; heavy clay; moderately moist; very firm; few manganiferous nodules.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size					Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio	
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S	C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	% @ 105C	%	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	%	%	%	%	% @ 105C	% @ 105C			
Bulk .10	5.0	.03	.002	12	41	30	24	13	3.1	1.8	.15	.17	.018	0.41	.014	12.6	29	10	.77	
.10	5.0	.03	.002	9	36	26	34	14	4.9	2.9	.25	.15	.010	0.45	.005	12.8	25	12	.79	
.20	5.5	.02	.001	9	25	21	49	22	9.1	6.1	.10	.24	.010	0.53	.005	14.6	31	17	.90	
.30	5.6	.02	.001	10	23	21	49	25	12.7	7.9	.10	.17	.008	0.54	.004	14.9	34	18	.98	
.60	6.2	.02	.001	9	31	24	42	23	12.7	7.9	.10	.88	.008	0.53	.004	14.4				
.90	6.4	.05	.006																	
1.20	7.1	.11	.013																	

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep.	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid	Bicarb.		K	Fe	Mn	Cu
	%	%	ppm	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
Bulk .10	1.7	.14	5	18	.19	280	204	2.6	1.3
.10	1.3	.10	3	13	.21	216	186	2.5	1.1
.20	.74	.06	2	6	.12				

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Septimus
 SITE NO: MCL 549
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 776 200 mE 7 657 100 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Uc2.21
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Ustipsamment
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Few gravel

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Granite
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 04 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
APcb	0 to .50 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; dull yellowish orange (10YR7/2) dry; coarse sandy loam; few subangular quartz; dry loose. Clear; to-
B21	.50 to .60 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; sandy loam; few subangular quartz; dry very weak. Clear; to-
B3	.60 to .85 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; sandy loam; few subangular quartz; dry very weak. Clear; to-
C	.85 to 1.15 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR7/6) moist; sandy loam; few subangular quartz; dry very weak.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water				Particle Size				Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures		Disp.Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S	C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
Bulk .10	5.2	.01	.001	62	25	7	5	4	.42	.23	.20	.35	.011	2.41	.003	10.7	10	3	.88	
.10	5.2	.01	.001	62	25	7	5	4	.42	.23	.20	.35	.011	2.41	.003	10.7	10	3	.88	
.20	5.1	.01	.001	61	25	7	6	4	.39	.23	.31	.18	.010	2.36	.003	10.7	9	3	.81	
.30	5.2	.01	.001	58	24	7	10	6	3.6	1.3	1.8	1.0	.009	2.46	.002	11.3	11	5	.76	
.60	5.6	.01	.001	59	26	7	6	6	3.2	2.1	.42	.11				11.3	9	4	.67	
.85	5.9	.01	.001					8	4.7	2.9	.30	.20								
1.15	6.2	.01	.001					6	3.2	2.1	.42	.11								

Depth metres	Org.C (N&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Acid	Phosphorus		Rep. K	DTPA-extr.			
				Bicarb.	ppm		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk .10	.38	.02	11	14	.25	30	34	0.1	0.2	
.10	.32	.02	8	9	.22	24	32	0.1	0.4	
.20	.22	.02	9	10	.19					

SOIL TYPE: Nabilla
 SITE NO: MCL 550
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 704 000 mE 7 658 100 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Prairie soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Gs3.72
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Haplumbrept
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Andesite
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 04 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .25 m	Brownish black (7.5YR2/2) moist; greyish brown (7.5YR4/2) dry; clay loam; moderately moist moderately weak; many manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
A12	.25 to .35 m	Brownish black (7.5YR3/2) moist; light clay; moderately moist moderately weak; many manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B21	.35 to .70 m	Yellowish brown (10YR5/6) moist; few fine prominent red mottles; few fine distinct grey mottles; medium heavy clay; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
BC	.70 to .80 m	Yellowish orange (10YR7/8) moist; brownish grey (10YR6/1) moist; medium clay; moderately moist moderately firm; very few manganiferous nodules. Abrupt; to-
C	.80 to .85 m	Light clay; few angular andesite; moderately moist very weak.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water				Particle Size				Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures		Disp.Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S	C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
Bulk .10	5.2	.04	.001	37	35	16	14	17	2.2	1.3	.53	.08	.053	0.38	.013	13.1	19	11	.72	
.10	5.1	.05	.001	48	26	13	17	17	2.8	1.7	.55	.07	.027	0.43	.011	13.5	18	12	.65	
.20	5.0	.04	.001	8	13	17	64	28	8.3	9.3	.16	.12	.013	0.11	.011	16.5	47	28	.36	
.35	5.4	.02	.001	35	29	24	17	24	12.	12.	.38	.05	.016	0.37	.006	14.7	29	14	.59	
.80	6.4	.02	.001																	
.85	6.7	.02	.001																	

Depth metres	Org.C (N&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Acid	Phosphorus		Rep. K	DTPA-extr.			
				Bicarb.	ppm		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk .10	.88	.06	13	32	.30	92	182	2.9	1.3	
.10	1.0	.07	15	44	.33	97	172	2.8	1.4	
.20	.64	.07	10	31	.25					

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Eton
 SITE NO: MCL 551
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 703 300 mE 7 647 600 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Solodic
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Gn3.03
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 00 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
APsb	0 to .20 m	Yellowish grey (2.5Y4/1) moist; yellowish grey (2.5Y6/1) dry; clay loam; fine sandy; moderately moist moderately weak. Clear; to-
B1sb	.20 to .35 m	Yellowish grey (2.5Y4/1) moist; light clay; moderately moist moderately weak. Clear; to-
B21	.35 to .80 m	Yellowish grey (2.5Y4/1) moist; few fine faint brown mottles; medium heavy clay; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B22	.80 to 1.20 m	Yellowish grey (2.5Y5/1) moist; common medium faint yellow mottles; medium heavy clay; moderately moist moderately firm; many carbonate nodules; few manganiferous nodules.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio			
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2	
	mS/cm	%	%	%	%	%	m.eq/100g					%	%	%	%	%	%			
Bulk .10	5.4	.02	.001																	
.10	5.6	.08	.001	14	36	28	23	15	5.1	3.3	.10	.56	.026	1.32	.012	2.2	27	8	.77	
.20	5.5	.02	.001																	
.30	5.5	.04	.004	12	33	29	27	16	6.3	3.7	.16	.22	.015	1.36	.011	2.5	27	10	.72	
.60	7.2	.13	.019	11	27	24	38	22	9.7	8.9	1.2	.18	.012	1.38	.008	3.8	29	14	.85	
.90	8.7	.33	.042	15	27	19	36	21	8.2	11.2	2.1	.16	.011	1.47	.008	3.8	29	13	.85	
1.20	8.9	.44	.055	17	26	20	38	24	7.6	13.3	3.3	.15	.013	1.45	.008	4.1				

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B) %	Tot.N %	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K ppm	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid ppm	Bicarb. ppm		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk .10	1.1	.10	27	30	.31	121	70	1.9	0.7
.10	.86	.09	47	44	.54	100	66	1.7	0.8
.20	.84	.08	25	23	.50				

SOIL TYPE: Palayra
 SITE NO: MCL 552
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 713 600 mE 7 648 600 mN ZONE 55

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Soloth
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.41
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Ultic Haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Sedimentary rocks
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

SLOPE: 03 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Few cobbles

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1sb	0 to .10 m	Dark greyish yellow (2.5Y4/2) moist; light grey (2.5Y7/1) dry; few fine faint brown mottles; sandy clay loam; dry moderately weak. Clear; to-
A2cb	.10 to .45 m	Light grey (10YR8/1) dry; sandy clay loam; abundant subangular unspecified coarse fragments; dry. Gradual; to-
A3cb	.45 to .50 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR5/2) moist; light grey (10YR8/1) dry; sandy clay loam; abundant subangular unspecified coarse fragments; unspecified coarse fragments; dry. Clear; to-
B21	.50 to .70 m	Greyish olive (5Y5/2) moist; common fine distinct grey mottles; common fine distinct yellow mottles; medium clay; many subangular unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist moderately firm.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio			
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2	
	mS/cm	%	%	%	%	%	m.eq/100g					%	%	%	%	%	%			
Bulk .10	5.3	.09	.003																	
.10	5.5	.04	.004	19	34	31	14	12	6.6	1.4	.19	.18	.025	0.57	.020	1.54	24	6	.83	
.20	5.4	.05	.006																	
.30	5.7	.01	.002	32	28	28	12	1	NS	L			.028	0.87	.010	11.33	NS	6	.78	
.60	5.2	.02	.002	17	17	24	40	14	2.1	5.7	.78	.10	.010	0.75	.007	12.76	28	14	.81	

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B) %	Tot.N %	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K ppm	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid ppm	Bicarb. ppm		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
Bulk .10	2.1	.17	10	12	.04	207	49	0.7	1.5
.10	2.0	.15	10	12	.04	200	048	0.7	1.1
.20	1.2	.05	4	6	.02				

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Brightley
 SITE NO: MCL 553
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 703 200 mE 7 648 700 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Grey clay
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Ug5.24
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Udic Pellustert
 FAO UNESOD UNIT:

SLOPE: 00 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Periodic cracking, recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .20 m	Brownish black (10YR3/1) moist; brownish grey (10YR5/1) dry; light clay; moderately moist moderately firm. Gradual; to-
B21	.20 to .40 m	Brownish grey (10YR4/1) moist; medium clay; moderately moist very firm. Diffuse; to-
B22	.40 to 1.20 m	Brownish grey (10YR4/1) moist; few fine faint yellow mottles; medium heavy clay; few subangular unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist very firm; very few manganiferous nodules.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	%	%	%	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g					%	%	%	% @ 105C				
Bulk .10	5.5	.09	.013	7	26	78	40	35	11	5.9	.25	.43	.043	1.01	.018	13.58	30	15	.61
.10	5.4	.08	.010	7	26	78	40	35	11	5.9	.25	.43	.043	1.01	.018	13.58	30	15	.61
.20	5.1	.06	.007	5	21	28	46	30	11	6.7	.38	.29	.024	0.92	.015	14.2	33	17	.69
.30	5.9	.04	.003	3	17	22	57	34	18	13	1.3	.15	.012	0.83	.009	15.35	39	21	.86
.60	6.9	.05	.006	4	18	21	55	35	18	14	2.5	.13	.010	0.86	.008	15.53	39	21	.83
.90	7.3	.21	.036	5	20	20	54	37	20	16	3.1	.13	.011	0.98	.006	15.90	38	20	.83
1.20	7.5	.32	.057	5	20	20	54	37	20	16	3.1	.13	.011	0.98	.006	15.90	38	20	.83

Depth metres	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.				
	(M&B)	%	Acid Bicarb.	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn				
	%	%	ppm	m.eq%	ppm				
Bulk .10	1.6	.12	140	111	0.1	142	39	4.0	1.7
.10	1.8	.12	86	98	0.1	186	51	4.4	1.9
.20	1.6	.11	40	34	0.5				

SOIL TYPE: Wollingford
 SITE NO: MCL 554
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 690 900 mE 7 650 700 mN ZONE 55

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Igneous rocks
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:

GREAT SOIL GROUP: Solodic
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.33
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Aquic Paleustalf
 FAO UNESOD UNIT:

SLOPE: 05 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises

VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Few gravel

ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .35 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; brownish grey (10YR6/1) dry; sandy clay loam; weak 5-10mm subangular blocky; dry moderately weak. Clear; to-
B21	.35 to .50 m	Brownish grey (10YR5/1) moist; dull reddish brown (5YR5/4) moist; common fine distinct brown mottles; medium clay; moderate 50-100mm prismatic strong 20-50mm angular blocky; moderately moist very firm. Clear; to-
BC	.50 to .80 m	Dull yellow (2.5Y6/3) moist; grey (N6/0) moist; medium clay; few angular igneous rocks; dry very firm. Gradual; to-
C	.80 to 1.00 m	Grey (N6/0) moist; dull yellow (2.5Y6/3) moist; sandy clay; many angular igneous rocks; dry.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	Cl	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	%	%	%	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g					%	%	%	% @ 105C				
Bulk .10	6.0	.16	.016	30	33	16	19	15	4.3	2.1	.49	.19	.033	0.67	.012	11.91	20	9	.90
.10	5.5	.10	.012	30	33	16	19	15	4.3	2.1	.49	.19	.033	0.67	.012	11.91	20	9	.90
.20	5.5	.05	.005	30	32	16	20	15	3.6	1.7	.37	.21	.038	0.73	.011	12.07	21	10	.88
.30	5.5	.04	.004	9	12	19	57	20	11	3.7	.85	.15	.061	6.47	.011	13.89	32	18	.84
.50	5.5	.08	.010	4	13	20	23	18	18	4	1.3	.06	.030	2.29	.006	13.33	18	11	.73
.90	8.6	.11	.007	4	13	20	23	18	18	4	1.3	.06	.030	2.29	.006	13.33	18	11	.73

Depth metres	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.				
	(M&B)	%	Acid Bicarb.	K	Fe Mn Cu Zn				
	%	%	ppm	m.eq%	ppm				
Bulk .10	1.0	.08	130	101	0.4	137	88	0.6	0.9
.10	0.9	.07	113	83	0.2	150	53	0.5	1.1
.20	0.9	.07	140	105	0.3	150	53	0.5	1.1

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Mentmore
 SITE NO: MCL 555
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 705 900 mE 7 678 700 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: Soloth
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy2.41
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:
 SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Few cobbles

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Tuff
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 04 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Hard setting

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
A1	0 to .15 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; brownish grey (10YR6/1) dry; light sandy clay loam; dry moderately weak. Gradual; to-
A21cb	.15 to .30 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR6/3) moist; light grey (10YR8/1) dry; sandy clay loam; dry moderately weak. Clear; to-
A22cb	.30 to .35 m	Dull yellowish orange (10YR6/3) moist; light grey (10YR8/1) dry; sandy clay loam; few subangular tuffi dry moderately weak. Abrupt; to-
B21	.35 to .60 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; medium clay; moderately moist very firm; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
C	.60 to .90 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) moist; many fine distinct pale mottles; sandy clay; moderately moist moderately firm.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp.Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
Bulk .10	5.8 .04 .003					
.10	5.8 .03 .002	39 30 18 13	9 1.9 1.2 .08 .46	.080 .25 .016	11.36 21 6	.69
.25	5.9 .01 .001					
.35	5.8 .01 .001	35 28 22 13	7 1.4 1.2 .07 .10	.013 0.24 .009	11.31 18 6	.86
.60	5.8 .01 .001	26 16 15 43	18 3.2 4.9 .50 .15	.008 0.40 .010	3.15 25 15	.68
.90	6.2 .03 .002	60 17 8 12	14 45 .41 .2 .081	.029 0.45 .003	2.25 8 82	.3

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.
metres	(M&B) %	%	Acid Bicarb. ppm	K m.eq/l	Fe Mn Cu Zn ppm
Bulk .10	2.2	.15	7 12	0.3	186 25 0.4 1.0
.10	1.9	.10	5 8	0.5	152 18 0.2 1.0
.25	0.8	.05	3 4	0.2	

SOIL TYPE: Silent Grove
 SITE NO: MCL 556
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 686 700 mE 7 676 700 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: Black earth
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Ug5.1
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Udorthentic Chromustert
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:
 SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 03 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Gently undulating rises
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Periodic cracking; recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .15 m	Black (10YR2/1) moist; brownish black (10YR3/1) dry; medium clay; strong (2mm granular) dry moderately weak. Clear; to-
B21	.15 to .75 m	Black (10YR1.7/1) moist; heavy clay; few subangular unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist very fine. Gradual; to-
B22	.75 to 1.20 m	Brownish grey (10YR5/1) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; medium heavy clay; few subangular unspecified coarse fragments; moist; many carbonate nodules.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp.Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
Bulk .10	5.4 .04 .004					
.10	5.3 .03 .004	5 12 20 64	53 17 7 .37 .53	.040 0.17 0.24	17.28 41 24	.15
.20	5.5 .02 .002					
.30	5.6 .02 .001	5 15 20 60	53 20 7.9 .55 .37	.038 0.17 .024	17.51 46 27	.47
.60	5.9 .03 .003	6 12 19 61	48 27 6.2 1.1 .23	.021 0.14 .017	17.11 49 27	.48
.90	8.1 .12 .004	4 7 13 74	66 48 15 1.9 .13	.025 0.23 .011	19.82 55 30	.62
1.20	8.2 .11 .003	14 9 12 63	56 40 14 2.0 .15	.034 0.22 .030	18.13 46 27	.68

Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep.	DTPA-extr.
metres	(M&B) %	%	Acid Bicarb. ppm	K m.eq/l	Fe Mn Cu Zn ppm
Bulk .10	2.2	.14	20 18	0.5	107 128 3.0 0.7
.10	2.1	.14	16 15	0.6	104 120 2.9 1.1
.20	2.2	.15	47 44	0.5	

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Murray
 SITE NO: MCL 557
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 688 700 mE 7 681 900 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: Alluvial soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Ucl.22
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Ustorthent
 FAO UNESOD UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 00 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Flood-plain
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .45 m	Brown (7.5YR4/3) moist; greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) dry; loamy sand; moderately moist loose. Abrupt; to-
2A1b	.45 to .65 m	Greyish brown (7.5YR4/2) moist; clay loam; fine sandy; moderately moist moderately weak. Gradual; to-
2B2b	.65 to 1.20 m	Brown (7.5YR4/3) moist; light clay; moderately moist moderately weak.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	C1	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	% @ 105C	%	m.eq/100g					%	%	%	% @ 105C				
Bulk .10	7.0	.02	.002																
.10	5.6	.02	.002	65	27	4	2	6	2.9	1.5	.05	.13	.027	1.69	.007	10.85	7	3	1.5
.20	5.3	.01	.001													10.86			
.30	5.4	.01	.001	57	34	4	6	6	3.5	1.4	.05	.13	.027	1.77	.008	10.91	8	4	.38
.60	4.7	.01	.001	23	43	18	15	15	8.9	1.7	.12	.12	.040	1.79	.013	12.31	20	9	.72
.90	6.1	.01	.001	3	48	22	26	17	12	2.1	.18	.11	.036	1.37	.014	12.74	23	11	.62
1.20	6.2	.01	.001	4	45	22	29	17	14	2.8	.20	.11	.031	1.26	.011	13.36	25	13	.74

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N (%)	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid ppm	Bicarb. ppm		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
	%	%	ppm	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
Bulk .10	0.4	.03	59	27	0.3	48	24	0.4	0.8
.10	0.3	.03	90	36	0.2	69	21	0.4	0.9
.20	0.4	.02	53	35	0.2				

SOIL TYPE: Kungurri
 SITE NO: MCL 558
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 688 300 mE 7 665 700 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: No suitable group
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Gs3.7
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Ustochrept
 FAO UNESOD UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Andesite
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 03 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Very few cobbles

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .25 m	Brown (7.5YR4/3) moist; clay loam; dry moderately firm. Gradual; to-
B21	.25 to .50 m	Dull brown (7.5YR5/4) moist; common fine distinct red mottles; few fine faint grey mottles; light medium clay; moderately moist moderately firm; very few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B22	.50 to 1.00 m	Light grey (10YR7/1) moist; many fine prominent red mottles; few fine distinct yellow mottles; medium heavy clay; moderately moist moderately firm; very few manganiferous nodules. Diffuse; to-
BC	1.00 to 1.20 m	Light grey (10YR7/1) moist; many coarse prominent red mottles; many coarse prominent yellow mottles; light clay; moderately moist moderately weak.

Depth metres	1:5 Soil/Water			Particle Size			Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio		
	pH	EC	C1	CS	FS	S C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM	1/3b	15b	R1	R2
	mS/cm	%	% @ 105C	%	% @ 105C	%	m.eq/100g					%	%	%	% @ 105C				
Bulk .10	4.9	.07	.004																
.10	5.0	.04	.002	12	46	17	26	25	3.7	4.1	.23	.28	.026	0.21	.018	13.34		13	.76
.20	5.1	.02	.001													13.24			
.35	5.6	.02	.001	5	28	9	58	40	3.5	5.7	.98	.33	.015	0.29	.013	15.80	44	27	.41
.60	5.2	.01	.001	8	28	7	53	47	3	6	1.8	.43	.007	0.36	.006	17.02	44	27	.40
.90	5.4	.01	.001	7	28	11	50	48	2.6	5.5	2.3	.42	.007	0.35	.004	16.61	43	25	.57
1.20	5.4	.01	.001	15	28	14	42	41	3	5.5	2.7	.30	.012	0.49	.004	16.24	34	41	.48

Depth metres	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N (%)	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid ppm	Bicarb. ppm		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
	%	%	ppm	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
Bulk .10	1.7	.12	7	11	0.4	194	22	2.2	1.8
.10	1.6	.12	7	10	0.3	144	16	2.3	1.6
.20	1.5	.11	17	22	0.2				

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Mirani
 SITE NO: MCL 559
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 692 000 mE 7 657 400 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: Yellow podzolic soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy5.92
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 00 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
AP	0 to .10 m	Dark greyish yellow (2.5Y4/2) moist; light grey (2.5Y7/1) dry; sandy loam; dry moderately weak. Gradual; to-
A2cb	.10 to .40 m	Dark greyish yellow (2.5Y5/2) moist; light grey (2.5Y7/1) dry; sandy loam; dry moderately weak. Clear; to-
A3cb	.40 to .45 m	Dull yellow (2.5Y6/3) moist; light yellowish orange (10YR8/3) dry; few fine distinct yellow mottles; sandy clay loam; dry moderately weak; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B21	.45 to .65 m	Dull yellow (2.5Y6/3) moist; few fine distinct brown mottles; sandy clay; few angular unspecified coarse fragments; dry moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B22	.65 to 1.20 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; many fine distinct grey mottles; sandy clay; many angular unspecified coarse fragments; dry moderately firm; very few manganiferous nodules.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
Bulk .10	5.2 .04 .004	42 40 8 8	4 1.3 .59 .08 .33	.029 1.35 .012	10.56 12 3	.92
.10	5.5 .07 .004				10.79	
.20	5.1 .05 .002					
.30	5.0 .02 .001	43 36 14 9	4 .52 .23 .05 .15	.025 1.48 .007	10.70 12 3	.73
.60	5.3 .02 .001	43 29 10 17	5 2.4 .36 .07 .10	.014 1.55 .008	11.14 14 6	.82
.90	5.9 .03 .002	39 22 9 30	9 4.4 2.4 .30 .13	.018 1.50 .008	12.14 19 11	.82
1.20	6.3 .05 .003	31 30 10 27	11 5.1 3.9 .70 .12	.019 1.47 .009	12.04 22 12	.89
Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep. K	DTPA-extr.	
metres	%	%	Acid ppm	Bicarb. ppm	Fe Mn Cu Zn ppm	
Bulk .10	0.9	.05	88	95	0.4	130 10 0.3 0.9
.10	0.9	.05	108	108	0.4	144 10 0.4 1.3
.20	0.9	.04	81	68	0.3	

SOIL TYPE: Wollingford
 SITE NO: MCL 560
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 700 600 mE 7 658 300 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: Yellow podzolic soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy5.33
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Natrustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Igneous rocks
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 03 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Undulating rises
 VEGETATION
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: Very few cobbles

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
APsb	0 to .30 m	Greyish brown (7.5YR4/2) moist; greyish brown (7.5YR6/2) dry; few fine distinct brown mottles; clay loam; fine sandy; dry moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Abrupt; to-
B1sb	.30 to .50 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/3) moist; yellowish brown (10YR5/6) moist; light medium clay; few subangular igneous rocks; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
B21	.50 to 1.05 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR5/2) moist; many fine distinct yellow mottles; medium heavy clay; moderately moist very firm; few manganiferous nodules. Clear; to-
(B3)	1.05 to 1.20 m	Dull yellow (2.5Y6/3) moist; common fine faint yellow mottles; medium clay; moderately moist moderately firm; few carbonate nodules; few manganiferous nodules.

Depth	1:5 Soil/Water	Particle Size	Exch. Cations	Total Elements	Moistures	Disp. Ratio
metres	pH EC Cl	CS FS S C	CEC Ca Mg Na K	P K S	ADM 1/3b 15b	R1 R2
	mS/cm %	% @ 105C	m.eq/100g	%	% @ 105C	
Bulk .10	5.5 .02 .002	18 44 30 9	11 2.4 1.8 .09 .13	.017 0.28 .011	11.60 22 6	.83
.10	5.3 .02 .002				11.34	
.20	5.4 .01 .001					
.30	5.7 .01 .001	19 40 28 15	11 2.8 1.8 .10 .08	.024 0.22 .013	11.74 21 7	.80
.60	6.6 .02 .003	26 29 20 26	18 5.1 5.0 .70 .08	.070 0.16 .010	13.19 24 13	.88
.90	7.1 .05 .005	13 31 19 37	23 9.2 9.1 2 .08	.009 0.12 .007	13.74 31 17	1.0
1.20	8.8 .18 .008	3 37 21 38	36 16 16 5.3 .08	.009 0.13 .010	15.68 34 19	1.0
Depth	Org.C	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus	Rep. K	DTPA-extr.	
metres	%	%	Acid ppm	Bicarb. ppm	Fe Mn Cu Zn ppm	
Bulk .10	0.8	.05	10	11	0.2	89 103 1.4 0.6
.10	0.8	.05	10	9	0.2	84 97 1.4 0.7
.20	0.6	.04	7	7	0.1	

APPENDIX V (continued)

SOIL TYPE: Sandiford
 SITE NO: MCL 561
 A.M.G. REFERENCE: 719 400 mE 7 648 500 mN ZONE 55
 GREAT SOIL GROUP: Yellow podzolic soil
 PRINCIPAL PROFILE FORM: Dy3.32
 SOIL TAXONOMY UNIT: Typic Haplustalf
 FAO UNESCO UNIT:

SUBSTRATE MATERIAL: Unconsolidated substrate materials
 CONFIDENCE SUBSTRATE IS PARENT MATERIAL:
 SLOPE: 00 %
 LANDFORM ELEMENT TYPE:
 LANDFORM PATTERN TYPE: Alluvial plain
 VEGETATION:
 STRUCTURAL FORM:
 DOMINANT SPECIES:
 ANNUAL RAINFALL:

SURFACE COARSE FRAGMENTS: No coarse fragments

PROFILE MORPHOLOGY:

CONDITION OF SURFACE SOIL WHEN DRY: Recently cultivated

HORIZON	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION
APcb	0 to .30 m	Greyish yellow-brown (10YR4/2) moist; greyish yellow-brown (10YR6/2) dry; sandy clay loam; dry moderately firm. Abrupt; to-
B21	.30 to .70 m	Dull yellowish brown (10YR5/4) moist; few fine distinct yellow mottles; few fine distinct brown mottles; medium clay; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules. Gradual; to-
B22	.70 to 1.00 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/8) moist; common fine prominent grey mottles; medium clay; few angular unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules; few manganiferous soft segregations. Gradual; to-
B23	1.00 to 1.15 m	Dull yellow (2.5Y6/4) moist; many medium prominent grey mottles; medium clay; few angular unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist moderately firm; few manganiferous nodules; few manganiferous soft segregations. Clear; to-
D	1.15 to 1.20 m	Bright yellowish brown (10YR6/6) moist; common fine prominent grey mottles; light medium clay; many angular unspecified coarse fragments; moderately moist moderately weak; few manganiferous nodules; few manganiferous soft segregations.

Depth	Soil/Water				Particle Size				Exch. Cations				Total Elements			Moistures			Disp. Ratio	
	pH	EC	Cl	C1	CS	FS	S	C	CEC	Ca	Mg	Na	K	P	K	S	ADM 1/3b	15b	R1	R2
metres	%	µS/cm	%	%	%	%	%	%	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	m.eq/100g	%	%	%	%	%	%	
Bulk .10	5.6	.04	.004		22	50	15	13	7	1.72	.10	.18	.029	1.39	.011	10.95	13	5	.85	
.10	5.3	.03	.004													11.04				
.20	5.1	.02	.002		18	53	17	13	7	.79	.46	.05	.13	.026	1.37	.010	11.07	14	5	.83
.30	5.1	.02	.001		8	25	9	55	17	6.1	3.7	.65	.17	.022	1.02	.017	13.73	31	20	.45
.60	5.8	.04	.003		17	38	10	34	13	4.5	4.3	.92	.11	.016	1.34	.009	12.77	25	14	.72
.90	6.3	.03	.003		8	25	10	55	12	5.7	5.5	1.5	.03	.017	1.39	.005	12.46	22	11	.52
1.25	7.0	.04	.003																	

Depth	Org.C (M&B)	Tot.N	Extr. Phosphorus		Rep. K	DTPA-extr.			
			Acid ppm	Bicarb. ppm		Fe	Mn	Cu	Zn
metres	%	%	ppm	ppm	m.eq%	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
Bulk .10	0.8	.04	45	33	0.3	128	30	0.5	0.5
.10	0.8	.04	35	31	0.2	145	35	0.6	0.6
.20	0.8	.04	63	107	0.2				

Figure 1.

